The Post calls attention to its Christmas Toy and Doll Fund. Toys or money received will be distributed to children who otherwise would be forgotten.

The Washington Post.

Today—Partly cloudy, warmer, probably rain.
Tomorrow—Slightly warmer; probably rain.
Yesterday—Highest, 52; lowest, 33.
1931—Highest, 55; lowest, 47.
Details on back page.

NO. 20,644. ENTERED AS SECOND CLASS MATTER, POSTOFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. WASHINGTON: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1932. COPYRIGHT, 1932, BY THE WASHINGTON POST CO. THREE CENTS.

BINGHAM TO ASK VOTE IN SENATE ON BEER TODAY

Democratic Chiefs Agree to Send Measure to Committee.

PROPOSAL ASSAILED BY SENATOR BORAH

Judiciary Group, Expected to Lack Quorum Monday, Due to Delay Action.

(Associated Press.)

A sudden move to bring the House 3.2 per cent beer bill up for action in the Senate today topped off a series of swift-moving developments yesterday, including a denunciation of the measure by Senator Borah (Republican), Idaho, who asserted it was unconstitutional.

Senator Bingham (Republican), Connecticut, and long-time beer advocate, announced to the Senate he would move to consider the bill today. Meanwhile, Democratic leaders agreed in conference to send the bill through the usual committee routine, but act upon it independently of other tax legislation.

Sharp warning that a fierce fight on the bill is in the offing came from Senator Borah.

Called Intoxicating.

"We are betraying the Constitution for thirty pieces of silver," he said, and contended that 3.2 per cent was the alcoholic content of intoxicating beer prior to prohibition.

Chairman Norris, of the judiciary committee to which the bill was referred when it reached the Senate at noon, took a conflicting view. Norris, long a supporter of prohibition who now favors legalization of beer, said the bill was constitutional and was a "fair compromise."

He announced the judiciary committee would meet Monday to begin consideration of the measure, but thought it possible a quorum could not be rounded up at that time, in which case he said it would go over until after the Christmas recess.

Points to Custom.

The Nebraskan said he saw no reason at present for hearings on the beer measure, but pointed to a custom of his committee to hold them on "reasonable demand."

Bingham's proposal to call up the beer bill today drew immediate opposition from Democratic leaders, who have promised to speed action on the measure.

Senator Harrison, of Mississippi, announced after the Democratic meeting he would demand that the bill be sent to committee. He predicted Senate approval of the beer proposal, but said he had made no poll.

A move to call the bill up at the opening of the Senate today would

Continued on Page 4, Column 1.

2 Carloads of Rum Are Seized in Utah

Shipment Is Estimated at More Than $100,000; May Go Into River.

Ogden, Utah, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—What to do with two carloads of contraband liquor seized here en route from California to St. Louis and Racine, Wis., today was bothering W. W. McBride, Federal prohibition administrator for Utah.

Pending a decision, he had a strong armed guard about the shipment, variously estimated at $100,000 to $200,000 in value. He said he had learned that the liquor was not shipped under a Federal permit.

The freight cars were loaded at Southbay, Calif., Mr. McBride said, and were taken down the coast to Santa Rosa, where the Southern Pacific Co. picked them up. He said he had no evidence that the railroad company was aware of the nature of the shipment marked "canned goods," prior to its discovery here when the cars were opened for transfer of their contents to refrigerator cars for the cold haul eastward.

Mr. McBride said it is not improbable that the 7,500 gallons of choice liquors will be dumped in the Weber River.

Bank Robber in Texas Is Slain Fleeing Scene

Wingate, Tex., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—One robber was killed and another probably fatally wounded as they fled from the Security Bank of Wingate after robbing it of between $1,500 and $2,000 today. Cashier Duncan Hensley opened fire on the robbers, and citizens joined in the shooting.

The wounded man identified himself as "Peewee" McMinn, of Eastland, Tex., and said his dead companion was Jim [illegible].

Henry Lane Wilson, Former Envoy, Dies

Expires in Indianapolis at 76; Had Served in Mexico.

Indianapolis, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Henry Lane Wilson, whose service as a United States diplomatic representative in Chile, Belgium and Mexico extended over a seventeen-year period, died at his home here late today.

The 76-year-old former ambassador, who resigned from the diplomatic service in 1913, had been ill for several years. Pneumonia was the immediate cause of death.

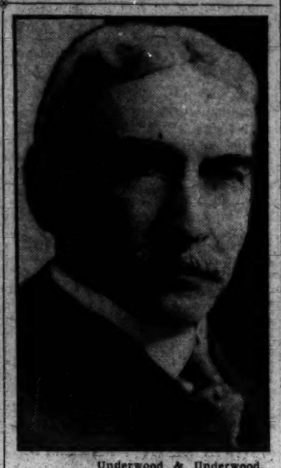
Appointed by President McKinley, Mr. Wilson served as United States Minister to Chile from 1897 to 1905, and as Minister to Belgium from 1905 to 1908. President Taft in 1909 named him to be Ambassador to Mexico, where he served during four years of political upheavals that finally led to United States intervention.

He resigned his Mexican post in 1914 because of differences with the Wilson administration over the policies to be pursued there.

Returning to Indianapolis, he spent several years in lecturing and writing. He published in 1927 a book, "Diplomatic Episodes."

A lifelong Republican, Mr. Wilson took an active part in six national political campaigns. He was known as an antagonist to the political primary, and to prohibition.

In 1928, broken in health, he retired completely from public life. His



Underwood & Underwood.
HENRY LANE WILSON.

wife, the former Alice Vajen, of Indianapolis, died in that year. He is survived by their three sons, John Vajen Wilson, of Hollywood, Calif.; Warden McKee Wilson, of the American Legation at Caracas, Venezuela, and Stewart C. Wilson, of Indianapolis.

Funeral services for Mr. Wilson will be conducted here Monday morning, and he will be buried in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis.

Mr. Wilson's career, prior to entering the diplomatic service had included activity as a lawyer, newspaper man and real estate man in Indianapolis, Lafayette, Ind., and Spokane, Wash.

NORRIS URGES PROBE OF R. F. C. ACTIVITIES

Suggestion Made as Senate Hears How Unit Lent $1,600,000,000.

(Associated Press.)

An investigation of the Reconstruction Corporation was suggested in the Senate yesterday by Norris (Republican), Nebraska, just as the corporation was telling Congress how it had pledged more than $1,800,000,000 for the stimulation of business and the relief of distress.

The Senate already has a special committee headed by Senator Couzens (Republican), Michigan, designated to scrutinize the activities of the R. F. C. Recent indications have been that it would approve them.

"I think I'll have something to say about that soon," Couzens remarked to newspapermen when asked about the Norris speech.

Norris' suggestion was based on a magazine article he read to the Senate, saying that considerably more than half the corporation's money advanced to railroads had gone to the "Morgan, Van Sweringen and Pennsylvania Railroad interests."

The corporation's report for November, made public, by coincidence, while Norris was talking, showed that of the $107,653,587 in loans authorized last month, $31,625,000 was for the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, $2,500,000 for the New York Central, $1,500,000 for the Wabash, $2,000,000 for the Lehigh Valley, $300,000 for the Puget Sound & Cascade, and $301,000 for the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific.

Banks again got a big share of the authorized loans, the total reaching $71,541,854 for November. Of this, $2,836,500 was lent to help in the reorganization or liquidation of closed banks.

$75,000 Theft Laid To Pasadena Broker

Los Angeles, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A complaint charging sixteen counts of grand theft and eight counts of forgery was issued late today against Leslie B. Henry, Pasadena broker. It charges embezzlement of $75,000 from Mrs. Charlotte Shelby, mother of Mary Miles Minter.

District Attorney Buron Fitts ordered issuance of the complaint after Mrs. Shelby presented him a letter she said Henry had written to her, describing a plan of suicide to end a life of "madness" and repay her alleged $500,000 losses through life insurance.

Five Policemen Injured During Riot in Glasgow

Glasgow, Scotland, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Christmas shoppers hurried to places of safety today when a riot developed as several thousand persons were marching through the city in an unemployment demonstration. Five policemen were injured, two of them seriously.

The demonstrators started their march after seven Labor members of the city council had been suspended from the council as the result of a dispute over whether to receive a deputation from the jobless.

"FLORIDA SPECIAL" DE LUXE train. No extra fare (46th Season). Lv. Wash. 7:45 P. m. daily, eff. Jan. 2. 15¾ Hours to Florida. Atlantic Coast Line. 1418 "H" st. nw. Tel. Nati. 7833.—Adv.

$1,000,000 INCOMES SAG FROM 531 TO 75

Revenue of Corporations to 1932 Show Even More Drastic Decline.

By LAWRENCE SULLIVAN.

American citizens who report net incomes of $1,000,000 or more a year are a vanishing race, but there still were 75 left at the beginning of 1932, the Bureau of Internal Revenue revealed last night in its analysis of 1931 income tax returns.

The 75 defenders of the highest income bracket are all that remain of the sturdy band of 531 who reported in that class in 1929. In 1930 the millionaire-income group numbered 150, and that figure was exactly halved during the calendar year 1931. Statistics on 1932 earnings will not be available until next summer.

A comparable decrease in all other large-income groups and a further reduction in corporate earnings constitute the most striking feature of the bureau's annual statistical report.

Approximately 1,000,000 individuals have dropped out of the Federal tax class since 1929. Individual returns for 1931 numbered 3,116,317, against 3,376,552 for 1930 and 4,044,327 for 1929.

In round numbers, the total income of all individuals reporting was $13,000,000,000 in 1931, as compared with $18,000,000,000 in 1930 and $25,000,000,000 in 1929.

Corporate incomes suffered even more drastic shrinkage during the year, the report continues. Out of

Continued on Page 3, Column 3.

Slaying Suspect And Women Held

Man Caught Driving Car of Murder Victim Admits Impersonating Latter.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Charged with killing Leon P. Neal, of Chicago, and then impersonating the slain man, Harry Maguar was arrested here today for Missouri officers. Neal's body was found by hitch hikers near Chillicothe, Mo., last Thursday.

Maguar, who registered at a hotel here as Neal, was accompanied by two women companions, who posed as his wife and sister. They were arrested also. Police said the one registered as his wife was Virginia Ross, Kansas City. The other said her name was May Vaughn.

Authorities also recovered Neal's automobile, which was in Maguar's possession. Maguar readily admitted his identity, police said, but declined to discuss the death of Neal. The trio was recognized by special officers here, who spotted the Missouri car which they had noticed on a list of stolen vehicles.

Armed Men Rob Bank In Nashville of $4,900

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Using a waste paper basket to carry their loot, two unmasked men held up the Monroe Street Branch of the American National Bank today and escaped with approximately $4,900, including 20,000 pennies.

They fled in an automobile waiting at the curb with a third man at the wheel.

SENATE PASSES PLAN TO MERGE TRANSIT FIRMS

Important Benefits for Public Are Contained in Measure.

THREE-CENT SCHOOL FARE AGREED UPON

Reduced Electric Rates Due to Follow Transfer of Power Contracts.

By ROBERT C. ALBRIGHT.

The Senate yesterday passed and sped back to the House the revamped District traction merger resolution, containing important street car company concessions to the public and embodying almost every principle fought for by Senator John J. Blaine in a two-day filibuster.

The measure was approved without a record vote, following an agreement reached with dramatic suddenness at a morning conference between opposing Senate District committee factions, traction company heads and interested citizens.

The House today is expected to lay the measure aside until after the holidays, to give the House District committee time to study the revised bill. It is possible the committee may not even ask for appointment of conferees, in which case the bill would be agreed to as passed by the Senate.

Victories for Public.

Outstanding victories won for the public in the resolution approved by the Senate yesterday were:

1. One hundred per cent power regulation by the Public Utilities Commission, with stipulation that the Washington Railway & Electric Co. transfer existing power-sale contracts in the District to the Potomac Electric Power Co. Profits at stake in these contracts could thus be passed on to the public in reduced electricity rates.

2. A 3-cent fare for school children provision is definitely written into the bill, insuring a reduced charge for this class of passengers regardless of the outcome of litigation now in the courts.

3. The new Capital Transit Co. would be permitted to operate no subsidiaries in the District, but could acquire outstanding stock of the Washington Rapid Transit Co. "at the fair value thereof," bringing it into the merged unit.

4. The new company would have a monopoly of bus and street car operation "over fixed routes," but the bill places no restriction on taxicab competition.

Provision on Transfers.

5. Free transfers would be issued between all connecting street car lines, but transfers from street cars to buses, or vice versa, would be left

Continued on Page 2, Column 2.

Banker and Police Chief Shot in $9,300 Holdup

Georgetown, Ill., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Four robbers wounded O. P. Clark bank president, and Charles Evans, police chief, and escaped with $9,300 in a daring highway robbery today.

They opened fire with shotguns when Evans, sensing a holdup as their sedan drew alongside Clark's coupe, drew a revolver. Both men were wounded in the head and were wounded in the head and were taken to a hospital. Their injuries were not believed serious.

Off in High

Greyhound Bus Hits Bear But Fails to Clog His Running Gear.

Roanoke, Va., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A black bear, seemingly fully grown, ventured from the forest fastnesses about two miles north of Buchanan today long enough to lose a running, rough and tumble encounter with a Greyhound bus, and then scamper away again to his hidden haunts.

Although struck by the front wheel of the big bus and rolled about the highway, Mr. Bruin was able to leave the scene under his own power.

C. L. Simpson, of Washington, driver of the bus, reported on arrival here late this afternoon that he saw the bear as it came across a field and ran onto the highway in the path of his vehicle. He felt a slight bump as the front wheel struck the animal, but by the time he could stop the bus the bear was out of sight. A following motorist told the bus driver that the bear rolled up in a ball and tumbled between the rear wheels. He then righted himself and took off up a bank, apparently none the worse for his experience.

Mr. Simpson, who lives at Clinton, Md., left Washington at 8 a. m. yesterday and reached the scene of the encounter with the bear about 3:55 p. m. He spent last night at Roanoke, and will make the return trip to Washington today.

FIRE RUINS REVEAL YEGGMEN'S CACHE

Gun Explodes and Wounds Worker; Son of Killian Absent From Court.

A revolver, which fired and injured a workman clearing the charred debris at 1209 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, yesterday led to the discovery of several guns, a quantity of ammunition and safe cracking tools, hidden in the building. Police immediately started an investigation of the cache.

The injured workman was Buddy J. Baldwin, 27, of Hyattsville, Md., an employe of the C. M. Lipp Co. His right index finger was torn by the bullet from the .32-caliber automatic.

S. E. Killian, 44, son of the owner of the George P. Killian Co., a paper box firm, which occupied most of the building, was rescued early yesterday from the flames which riddled the top floor and roof of the five-story brick building. A fireman also was injured in fighting the fire. Both were treated at Emergency Hospital.

After being revived with oxygen, Killian is alleged to have taken French leave from the hospital and could not be located yesterday.

When he failed to appear in court yesterday afternoon, where he was on

Continued on Page 10, Column 1.

Betty Compton Denies Payment by Sherwood

Cap d'Antibes, France, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Frank Scully, American author, who is going to help former Mayor Walker with his memoirs, tonight stated he had been authorized in behalf of Betty Compton to deny the truth of a recent statement, attributed to Samuel Seabury in the press here, that she had received a large sum from Russell T. Sherwood, missing accountant sought in the New York municipal investigation.

The statement, which Mr. Scully said Miss Compton herself has prepared, says that the reported Seabury declaration is misleading, untrue and contradicted by her own bank accounts, which he subpenaed for the New York inquiry.

Little Time Left to Give To Post Toy and Doll Fund

Efforts Spurred to Insure That All Children in Capital Will Be Remembered by Santa; Contributions Near $1,000 Mark.

Is there to be a single forgotten child in Washington on Christmas morning?

That is the big question of the hour at the Santa Claus headquarters of The Post Toy and Doll Fund on the fifth floor of The Washington Post Building.

Less than 48 hours remain until midnight of Christmas Eve, which is the zero hour for The Post Toy and Doll Fund to go over the top with its goal of at least $1,000 and 10,000 toys raised for the fund to insure every needy child in Washington a Merry Christmas.

In the last few weeks before the national election a good deal was heard about the Forgotten Man, pro and con. But a far worse thing would be the Forgotten Child. A little child made in God's own image who had been cherishing in his heart the glad hope that Santa Claus would find his way to his house despite the poverty and need, the cold, and often hunger, lurking there. It takes a great deal to believe in Santa Claus' coming in the face of such distress. But children have real faith and so they doubt not.

The older ones in these desolate homes are not so certain, however. Years of suffering and disillusionment have dimmed their faith. But "if only the children could have a little"—that is the plea that comes to the toy fund headquarters many times a day. That is why the Santa Claus workers and aids dare not fail. The price of failure is too great, the destruction of faith in childish hearts and the further push toward absolute hopelessness of their anguished mothers and fathers.

In the months of depression much has been heard of reduced value of

Continued on Page 7, Column 2.

PAUL-BONCOUR WINS SUPPORT ON DEBT STAND

Chamber Upholds Policy of New Negotiations; Caution Advised.

ACTION MAY AWAIT NEW REGIME HERE

Confidence Voted, 365-215, After Premier's Appeal for Harmony.

Paris, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The Chamber of Deputies tonight voted confidence in the Paul-Boncour government on a ministerial declaration which included, as the debt policy of the new government, continuing negotiations with the United States in an effort to settle the debt problem, though warning that "prudence" was necessary in view of the present political situation in America. The vote was 365 to 215.

The vote came after six hours of debate during which Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour stressed the necessity of bringing into harmony the viewpoints of France and the United States.

It was a closer vote than former Premier Edouard Herriot usually obtained before his defeat on the debt payment to the United States.

Caution Is Advised.

M. Paul-Boncour during his ministerial declaration gave a clear implication that, while it was essential negotiations be continued, it was advisable to proceed cautiously until the new administration is in power in Washington.

He also indicated clearly he regarded that the main lines of these negotiations so far as France is concerned, were laid down by the chamber in its recent vote on the debts. (The chamber voted against payment of the interest payment due December 15 unless the United States first agreed to confer about revision.)

The premier promised in his declaration "to concentrate all our efforts" to the work of achieving "general settlement of the war debts question."

Answer to Criticism.

Answering criticism by Louis Marin, Conservative leader, as to the composition of the new government in view of its similarity to the Herriot ministry, M. Paul-Boncour replied: "I do not believe that the vote on the debt, important as it was, can dominate all the work of the Legislature."

While M. Paul-Boncour was explaining the French position on the American debt in the chamber, Henry Bereniger, the Borah of France, who holds a powerful position as chairman of the foreign affairs committee of the Senate, in an interview voiced his fervent hope that America will understand that payment of the December interest was not refused, but was subordinated to a friendly understanding between the United States and France.

Foes in Chaco Agree To Christmas Truce

La Paz, Bolivia, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The foreign ministry announced tonight that Bolivia and Paraguay have agreed to a Christmas Day truce on the Gran Chaco battle front.

The truce will extend from midnight December 24 to midnight December 25.

Auto Kills Man Walking in Road

Cabin John Park Driver Not Held After Death of Fellow-Citizen.

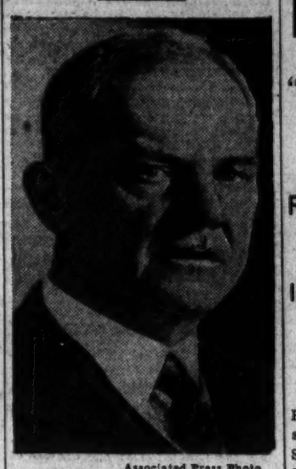
Charles E. Stephens, 26, of Cabin John Park, Md., was almost instantly killed last night when struck by an automobile while walking along the Conduit road, near his home. He was struck by the automobile of John T. Lynch, of the same town, who was proceeding in the same direction as Mr. Stephens.

Mr. Stephens is believed to have been walking in the middle of the road, which was dark and foggy, according to police. Mr. Lynch told police of the Bethesda Substation he did not see Mr. Stephens until after he had struck him. Mr. Stephens was removed to the undertaking establishment of William Reuben Pumphrey, at Rockville, Md. Dr. Benjamin C. Perry, of Bethesda, pronounced the man dead.

Mr. Lynch, who is assistant scoutmaster of the Cabin John Park Boys Scout Troop and well known in local civic affairs, was not arrested. Police believe the accident unavoidable. A full report of the accident will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles at Baltimore. Mr. Stephens is survived by his wife and a young child.

Crisp Quits

Resigns Place on Tariff Board After 30 Years in Public Office.



Associated Press Photo.
CHARLES R. CRISP.

(Associated Press.)

After 30 years in public office, Charles R. Crisp, of Georgia, yesterday submitted to President Hoover his resignation as a member of the Tariff Commission.

He said he would become a "special attorney here for the Savannah Sugar Corporation and some of their associates."

"Since the Senate has decided it is not going to confirm me and several others I have had some attrac-

Continued on Page 7, Column 4.

COLUMBUS U. DEAN HITS BOXING STAND

Attacks Ballou and Kramer and Will Seek to Appear Before Board.

The opportunity to appear before the Board of Education to present the case of Columbus University's application for use of the McKinley High School Gymnasium to hold boxing bouts will be sought by Dean John R. Fitzpatrick.

Coupled with the announcement that Columbus University will press for further action on its request were verbal darts directed by Dean Fitzpatrick at Superintendant Frank W. Ballou and Assistant Superintendent Stephen E. Kramer, who disapproved the request.

"Who does Mr. Kramer mean when he says 'the public as a whole had not yet reached the point where it would reconcile the use of school buildings for boxing?' Does he mean Dr. Ballou and Mr. Kramer? He is certainly not speaking for the Board of Education because the board has not formally voted on the request."

"I can hardly believe Dr. Ballou was correctly quoted when he says boxing 'is associated in the public mind with prize fighting and ought not to be identified with a public school building.' Prize fighting is illegal. Boxing is strictly amateur. It is part of the athletic activities of West Point, the Naval Academy and of virtually every university in the country."

The committee on buildings of the board denied the request of the university, but when its action became known on Wednesday, Henry Gilligan succeeded in having the question referred back to the committee for reconsideration. The committee is scheduled to report again at the next meeting.

It will be at the next meeting when Dean Fitzpatrick will seek the privilege of appearing before the board to urge that the request be granted.

"I was somewhat surprised that a request of this nature would be considered without giving the courtesy of a hearing to a representative of Columbus University. After all, the faculty of this university and the students pay taxes for the upkeep of the schools, just as do other citizens."

Girl Kills Father Who Forbid Attending Party

Newport News, Va., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Angered, police said, because she had been refused permission to attend a Sunday school party, Frances Lassiter, 15-year-old high school sophomore, tonight shot and killed her father.

Police said they were told that the girl's father, Alexander M. Lassiter, after refusing permission, had later consented for her to go. He was shot, they said, as he searched for a door key to give his daughter.

Baltimorean Is Killed In Automobile Accident

Caught beneath the car when it skidded on the icy highway and turned over near Leonardtown, Md., Reuben Chisholm, 56, of Baltimore, was killed instantly late yesterday. He was trying to leap from the car when it overturned.

Isador Shockett, also of Baltimore, driver of the car, escaped injury.

GOV. ROOSEVELT DENIES REFUSAL TO AID ON DEBTS

"Surprised" at Hoover's Statement on His Attitude.

PRESIDENT DISCARDS COMMISSION PLAN

Issue May Be Left Up to New Administration Due to Conflicting Views.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—President-elect Roosevelt said in a statement issued tonight through Supreme Court Justice Samuel I. Rosenman, his former counsel, that he was "rather surprised" at the statement issued at the White House today to the effect that he had found it "undesirable" to assent to cooperative action with President Hoover on foreign problems.

Mr. Roosevelt's statement, as dictated to the Associated Press over the telephone by Justice Rosenman, follows:

"I am rather surprised at the White House statement issued this afternoon. It is a pity not only for this country but for the solution of world problems that any statement or intimation should be given that I consider it undesirable to assent to cooperative action on foreign problems.

Offer to Hold Parleys.

"I have made to the President the definite suggestion that he select his representatives to make preliminary studies. I have asked to be kept advised as to the progress of these preliminaries. I have offered to consult with the President freely between now and March 4.

"I hope that this practical program and definite offer of cooperation will be accepted."

The statement was the first Mr. Roosevelt has made publicly concerning his attitude toward President Hoover's recent suggestion to Congress for cooperation between the President-elect and the President toward formation of a commission to consider World War debts, economic problems and disarmament.

Hoover's Statement.

Mr. Roosevelt's comment referred to the brief statement from Mr. Hoover which accompanied the release at Washington today of correspondence between the President and his successor-elect on the Hoover proposals. In this statement Mr. Hoover said: "Gov. Roosevelt considers that it is undesirable for him to assent to my suggestions for cooperative action on the foreign problems outlined in my recent message to Congress."

(Associated Press.)

The clashing convictions of Herbert Hoover and Franklin D. Roosevelt yesterday caused abrupt and final abandonment of the administration's plan for a commission to deal with war debt and allied problems.

The President-elect—by his own request—will be left untrammelled to

Continued on Page 3, Column 4.

14 Japanese Die, 18 Hurt in Fire at Tokyo

Tokyo (Friday), Dec. 23 (A.P.).—Fire, whipped by a high wind, razed a section of flimsy tenements in the Fukagawa slum district of Tokyo today, killing fourteen persons. Thirty-three others were missing, some of whom may be dead, and eighteen were injured.

The fire started before dawn and within half an hour destroyed 20 tenements housing 92 families. Many persons were trapped in the buildings.

Summary of Inside Pages

Pages.
2—Philippine Liberty Voted.
Holiday at Sea for Hoover.
Coal Pact Signed.
Democratic Chiefs Meet.
3—Large Still Seized.
Davis Asks World Unity.
Mellon Back From London.
Girl Found Murdered.
4—Corpse-Selling Case Closed.
The Federal Diary.
5—Two Die in Stormy Seas.
Quarry Murder Causes Mistrial.
The Paradine Case.
6—Editorials.
7—News of the Suburbs.
8—Society.
9—The Post Comics.
Radio Programs.
10—President Writes Preface.
About the Showshops.
Cinema Reviews.
11, 12—Sports.
13, 14—Financial News.
15—Classified Advertisements.
16—Tree-Lighting Tomorrow.
Chanukkat Feast to Start.
Gold Coin Demand Slack.
Robbery Suspects Held.
Fund Shifting Attacked.

PHILIPPINE LIBERTY IS VOTED BY SENATE

Only House Approval Needed to Send 10-Year Bill to White House.

(Associated Press.)

Independence for the Philippine Islands in ten years was voted by the Senate yesterday and only House approval now is necessary to send the measure to the White House.

Sponsors of the bill in the House plan to seek action there today before taking a brief recess for the Christmas holidays.

Acting quickly on a compromise worked out by congressional conferees assigned to adjust differences in the Senate twelve-year plan and the House eight-year proposals, the Senate adopted the conference report without a roll call and with hardly a word of debate.

What action President Hoover might take was problematical last night, although some Republican senators believe he will veto it, having in mind strong objections to independence at this time by Secretaries Stimson and Hurley.

The compromise, unanimously approved by the conferees earlier in the day, accepts the more liberal House provisions on immigration and trade restrictions, but also includes many important Senate amendments, including the one making approval of the act by the Phillipppine Legislature a condition preliminary to freedom.

Under the measure as it now stands and which the House must accept, unless it wants further delay in another conference, island immigration to the United States during the ten-year transition period would be limited to a quota of 50 annually and after that Asiatic exclusion would be applied.

The Senate amendment to bar Filipinos on racial grounds immediately upon acceptance of the act by the island legislature was stricken out in conference.

Free Import Limit Set.

Duty-free imports of island sugar into the United States would be limited to 850,000 long tons a year; coconut oil, 200,000 long tons, and hemp products, 3,000,000 pounds. Senate provisions fixing the sugar quota at 615,000 tons and coconut oil at 180,000 tons were eliminated.

The report retains the Senate provision for export taxes on island products during the last five years of the preindependence period. These would be 5 per cent of the American tariff the sixth year; 10 per cent the seventh; 15 per cent the eighth; 20 per cent the ninth, and 25 per cent the tenth year. After that full tariffs would go into effect between the United States and the "Commonwealth of the Philipipne Islands," as the new government would be known.

The export taxes would be used to help pay off the islands' bonded indebtedness.

Military Control Retained.

Two other Senate provisions retained in the bill were those permitting the United States to retain as long as it desired all military and naval reservations in the islands and requesting the President to negotiate treaties with foreign powers for the "perpetual neutralization" of the new commonwealth.

Chairman Bingham, of the territories committee, and one of the Senate conferees, presented the conference report after the co-authors of the Senate bill—Hawes (Democrat), Missouri, and Cutting (Republican), New Mexico, had praised the conciliatory attitude of the opposing groups.

The ten years allowed the islanders to set up a government of their own is the same time allowed Spain to withdraw from the Philippines when the United States took them over in 1899, after the Spanish-American War.

Harbord Raps Bill For Tie-Up Abroad

Tells Stimson of Opposition to Communications Proposal.

(Associated Press.)

Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord, president of the Radio Corporation of America, laid before Secretary Stimson yesterday his opposition to a section of a bill pending in Congress which would require American communications companies working with similar concerns abroad to grant the foreign corporations 20 per cent representation on their own directorates.

Harbord said he believed the measure if passed would work against the interest of the American Government in war time as it would make more difficult the protection of confidential information. He sought official aid against the bill.

At the same time Secretary Adams of the Navy appeared before the Senate interstate commerce committee to protest this provision on the same grounds.

Irish Bond Premiums Are Put at $1,000,000

(Associated Press.)

Americans who bought bonds in 1921 to aid the Irish independence cause will receive a premium of approximately $1,000,000 under proposals President Eamon de Valera has made to the Irish Free State government for action next February.

Details of the steps looking to repayment have not been received here, but Irish circles calculate that the premiums will amount to $1,000,000 in round figures. This estimate is based on the fact that the bonds still held in the United States aggregate about $4,000,000.

Troy Is Named to Post At New Veterans Home

(Associated Press.)

The Veterans' Administration announced yesterday that T. S. Troy had been appointed chief medical officer for the new veterans' home at St. Petersburg, Fla. He will begin his duties on January 1.

Troy was formerly clinical director for the hospital at Lake City, Fla., and prior to that served as key physician at the central office of the bureau in Washington. He is a native of Liberty, N. C.

Bill Seeks Land for Park.

(Associated Press.)

Representative Ruth Bryan Owen (Democrat), Florida, introduced a bill yesterday to authorize the Secretary of War to deed Fort Marion and the Fort Marion Reservation at St. Augustine, Fla., for a park.

Christmas Eve at Sea Lies In Prospect for President

Hoover and Party Expect to Leave for Georgia Tonight; Will Spend Time Fishing Off Savannah and Visit Home of Chapin.

(Associated Press.)

A Christmas Eve on shipboard was in prospect for President Hoover, as plans progressed for his departure on a holiday fishing cruise off the Georgia and Florida coasts.

Although formal announcement of the trip had not been made at the White House, pending some unexpected change of plans, all arrangements have been completed for the Chief Executive and Mrs. Hoover to leave the Capital by train early tonight.

Arriving in Savannah, Ga., tomorrow morning, the Hoover party intends to set sail immediately, with a small armada of craft in attendance on the 116-foot Department of Commerce boat Sequoia, which will be the presidential flagship.

In addition, there will be the almost equally large lighthouse inspection boat Kilkenny, two 75-foot Coast Guard boats for Secret Service agents, a 100-foot boat of the same type and possibly a 125-footer.

Word has come to the White House that the sea trout are running well within a three-hour trip of Savannah, and tentative plans call for a Christmas Eve fishing session. All invitations for the President to visit various spots on Christmas Eve have been declined.

The run probably will be made on Christmas Day to the vicinity of St. Catherines Island, on which Roy Chapin, the Secretary of Commerce, has a home. Thereafter the plans are indefinite, but the general goal will be southward for deep-sea fishing off the Florida coast before the return trip is started.

PLAN FOR TRACTION MERGER HERE IS APPROVED BY SENATE

Continued from Page 1.

to the discretion of the Public Utilities Commission.

6. Articles of incorporation of the new company would be subject to Public Utilities Commission approval.

7. The right to amend, alter or repeal the resolution or the charter of incorporation is specifically reserved for Congress.

In return for these benefits, the merged traction companies will profit through economies resulting from consolidated operation. Further, the new company would be relieved of paying the salaries of policemen stationed at street railway crossings, and would benefit through reduction in assessments for new paving between street car tracks, and bridge improvements.

Triumph For Keech.

The bill passed yesterday was in many ways a personal triumph for People's Counsel Richmond B. Keech, who has contended consistently for the public advantages gained in yesterday's so-called "compromise."

It was no less a victory for Chairman Arthur Capper, of the Senate District committee, and Senator Blaine, whose joint minority report disagreeing with the earlier bill reported by the Senate District committee, contained many of the provisions finally agreed to.

Chairman Thomas P. Littlepage, whose joint citizens' transportation committee was the conciliatory instrument which brought the opposing factions together, in a statement last night not only paid tribute to Keech and Senators Blaine and Capper, but to Assistant Corporation Counsel William A. Roberts and Senator Warren R. Austin (Republican), Vermont, whose persistence finally forced Senate consideration of the traction consolidation measure.

Blaine Yields on Two Points.

Mr. Littlepage, hailing the Senate's action as "a decided forward step toward the aim of a coordinated transportation plan for the District," extended thanks from civic Washington to every member of the Senate District committee, and lauded "the fine public spirit" he said was shown by Washington's street railway company officials.

In reaching accord at yesterday's early morning conference, the minority headed by Senator Blaine yielded on only two major points—the question of valuation and court review, and the universal transfer issue.

Blaine wanted to take from the courts the "legislative duty of rate making," and vest it in the Public Utilities Commission. The prevailing system permitting the courts to instruct the commission on questions of valuation, Blaine contends, has boosted local utility values thousands of dollars.

The Wisconsin senator was not badly disappointed over the failure of the agreement to embody a universal transfer arrangement, although, backed by People's Counsel Keech, he had asked that it be written into the bill. After passage of the measure, however, he said he could understand how the provision, if it had been incorporated, might benefit suburban dwellers at the expense of more centrally located residents.

He expressed doubt that he will now introduce a separate bill embodying his plan for relieving the courts from valuation and rate review, except on grounds of confiscation.

The merger authorized in the bill which yesterday passed the Senate would be entirely voluntary, and must be submitted within six months and approved within two years by stockholders of the Capital Traction Co. and the Washington Railway & Electric Co. before it becomes law.

The new Capital Transit Co. would be managed by 15 directors, nine of whom must be bona-fide residents of Washington. Seven directors each would be appointed from the new companies, and the fifteenth would be named by the fourteen first named.

Mary Norton Absent.

Chairman Mary T. Norton of the House District committee left for Newark, N. J., yesterday before she learned of the Senate's action. In her absence Chairman Loring M. Black of the House District utilities subcommittee said he thought the bill will be laid aside by the House until the full District committee has conferred on it. Black said he favored acceptance of the Senate bill without appointment of conferees.

Following yesterday morning's agreement in the Senate District committee room Senator Blaine told newspapermen that he was "contented but not satisfied" with the understanding reached. After passage of the measure, however, when he was being congratulated by his friends, he could not conceal his apparent elation.

Sitting with Senator Blaine on the Senate floor while the bill was being amended as agreed were Assistant Corporation Counsel Roberts and People's Counsel Keech. From time to time he advised with them, and several times Blaine asked language changes in the amendments submitted by Senator Austin.

Full Power Regulation.

The latter, assisted by Clerk of the Senate District Committee James Ring, acceded in every instance, except when Blaine asked that an entire clause, providing for adoption of rules, regulations and by-laws by the new directors, be struck as unnecessary matter. Austin said the agreement had not covered this. Blaine did not insist.

Under the power clause written into the bill, the Potomac Electric Power Co. must enter a contract with the Capital Transit Co. under which it agrees to maintain an adequate power supply. Whereas the Public Utilities Commission would regulate 100 per cent of the power for street car operation under the revamped measure, the earlier bill provided for only 37 per cent control by the commission for the next fifteen years.

Assuming the House accepts the Senate changes in the merger measure passed last session by the lower chamber, or an agreement is reached by conferees, efforts toward local traction unification, extending back over a period of a quarter of a century, will come to fruition.

Amateur Brewers Face Heavy Fees

Collier Beer Bill Would Put $1,000 Licenses on Home Outfits.

(Associated Press.)

The home brewer faces the prospec of paying $1.000 for the privilege o. pouring his ingredients into the crock he has set aside for the purpose. The law will require the $1.000 for a license to make his own beverage should the Collier beer bill pass the Senate and be signed by the President.

Representative Schafer (Republican), Wisconsin, made an effort to save the home manufacturer. Representative Bachmann (Republican), West Virginia, gave support, but the House voted Schafer's amendment down before passing the beer bill.

The bill said that any person who makes 3.2 beer "shall for the purposes of the internal revenue laws be considered a brewer." Schafer wanted to make the definition of a brewer apply only to those who make beer for sale.

Kansas Governor Wins Fight Over His Power

Topeka, Kans., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Gov. Harry H. Woodring today won a legal battle with Lieut. Gov. J. W. Graybill over which of them had the right to appoint a successor to the late George A. Allen, sr., State superintendent of public instruction.

Ruling in litigation brought about by the Republican lieutenant governor's effort to seize the appointive power while the Democratic chief executive was out of the State, the Supreme Court held Woodring's appointment of W. T. Markham, of Yates, Kans., valid. It also ruled Markham, Superintendent Allen's Democratic opponent in the November election, would hold office until his successor is elected "as the constitution prescribes."

Learn the power of tiny messages in Post Classified Ads. Low cost and quick response. Just phone National 4205.

White House Takes On Yuletide Glow

Holly, Electric Light and Fir Tree Decorations Adorn Mansion.

(Associated Press.)

The White House yesterday assumed a yuletide air of holly and fir trees, despite the prospective absence of the President and Mrs. Hoover over the Christmas holidays.

Wreaths were placed in the lower windows of the mansion and the row of boxed trees at the outer edge of the huge-pillared portico was wired with multicolored bulbs. Christmas cards addressed to Chief Executive and First Lady were pouring in.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover laid plans to leave the Capital tonight for Savannah, Ga., from where they propose to cruise along the Georgia and Florida coasts. White House aids continued to maintain yesterday, however, that plans for the trip were not yet definite.

Surplus Naval Clothing Sale Bill to President

(Associated Press.)

Legislation authorizing the sale to charitable organizations at nominal prices of surplus naval clothing supplies for distribution to the needy was passed yesterday by the House and sent to the Senate. A similar measure already has been passed by the Senate.

The House resolution was presented by Representative McClintic (Democrat), of Oklahoma, under a unanimous-consent agreement. Charitable organizations purchasing the supplies must agree to give them to the distressed.

Hard Work—Long Life.

Gainesville, Tex., Dec. 20 (A.P.).—It may not be the royal road to longevity, but R. P. Cummings attributes his 94-year span to hard work with the pick and shovel. He is now employed in spreading gravel on a highway and is doing well, his foreman says. Cummings' dad died at 98 and an uncle lived to 113.

DEMOCRATIC CHIEFS MEET ON FARM AID

Roosevelt Is Represented at Conference on Relief of Mortgage Burden.

(Associated Press.)

President-elect Roosevelt took a hand yesterday in working out with Democratic leaders in Congress a far-reaching program for relief of mortgage-burdened farmers looking toward legislation at this session.

A dozen proposals for relieving the agricultural credit situation, promised by Gov. Roosevelt in his campaign, were discussed at a conference of House and Senate party leaders with spokesmen for the farm organizations and representatives of the incoming President.

Although no concrete program was determined upon, the conferees agreed to draft the various proposals into bill form for further consideration after the Christmas recess.

The suggestions ranged from creation of a debt commission to arrange voluntary reduction of farm mortgages to deferment of payments for a limited period.

Legislation Moves Forward.

Meanwhile, farm-relief legislation moved forward in both sides of the Capitol.

As the House agriculture committee continued its effort to draft an emergency measure along the lines of the domestic allotment plan, Speaker Garner said the House would take up the farm question early in January.

The Senate approved a bill by Senator Smith (Democrat), South Carolina, for crop production loans in 1933 from an unexpended balance of about $100,000,000 set aside last session.

While the Democrats were meeting, the Senate banking committee was listening to arguments by Senator Frazier (Republican), North Dakota, favoring his bill to refinance farmers' debts at 1½ per cent interest.

Garner Attends Meeting.

Henry Morgenthau, jr., New York State conservation commissioner and close adviser of President-elect Roosevelt, was his representative at the Democratic conference, along with Prof. Irving Myers, of Cornell University, who has also aided the governor on farm matters.

Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, Democratic leader of the Senate, headed the group of senators, while Speaker Garner led a group of House leaders.

Heads of all the major farm organizations participated, including Edward A. O'Neal, president of the Farm Bureau Federation; L. J. Tabor, master of the National Grange, and John A. Simpson, president of the Farmers Union.

Yesterday in Congress

DECEMBER 22, 1932.

SENATE.

Met at noon and adjourned at 3:50 p. m. until noon Friday.

Passed District street car merger bill with amendments agreed to by opposing District committee factions.

Approved conference agreement on Philippine independence bill, offering the islands their freedom in ten years.

Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, suggested investigation of Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Senator Frazier (Republican), of North Dakota, asked Senate banking committee approval of his bill to refinance farmers' debts at 1½ per cent interest.

Beer bill passed by the House Wednesday presented to Senate and referred immediately to Senate judiciary committee.

Action on St. Lawrence waterway treaty postponed by Senate foreign relations subcommittee.

HOUSE.

Met at noon, adjourned at 4:40 p. m. until noon Friday.

Agriculture Department supply bill reported, carrying $110,981,000 in appropriations, and setting aside only $35,000,000 for Federal highway aid.

Representative DePriest (Republican), of Illinois, moved to recommit Interior supply bill to reinsert $460,000 Howard University power plant item, but vote fell short of a quorum and matter went over.

Representative McDuffie (Democrat), of Alabama, received House consent to extend the life of the joint veterans' committee until March 3.

Representative Byrne (Democrat), of Tennessee, criticized department heads for using 12 per cent interchange of appropriation item in supply bills to save jobs of personnel.

Approved $8,000,000 appropriation in Interior Department bill for continuation of Boulder Dam construction.

Today in Congress

SENATE.

Will take up calendar at noon.

District of Columbia rent investigating subcommittee will meet in committee room, Capitol, ground floor, northeast corner, to hear report of investigator, at 10:30 a. m.

Interstate commerce committee will meet at 10:30 a. m. in room 412, Senate Office Building, to consider Dill-White radio bill.

Senator Bingham (Republican), of Connecticut, will move to take up Senate beer bill already on calendar, and substitute for it the House measure.

HOUSE.

Will consider only noncontroversial matters, under agreement previously reached.

Appropriations subcommittee on deficiencies will conclude hearings at 10:30 a. m., Capitol, House floor, west side.

Committee on expenditures in executive departments will meet in open session, room 280-a, House Office Building, to consider President's reorganization message.

Committee on rivers and harbors will meet in open session on routine business, room 245, House Office Building.

Wilbur Will Spend Yule Inspecting Florida Park

(Associated Press.)

Secretary Wilbur will spend the Christmas holidays inspecting the proposed Everglades National Park in Florida.

Accompanied by Mrs. Wilbur, the Secretary will leave Washington by automobile tomorrow morning and will spend Christmas Day on the road. Mr. Wilbur probably will remain in Florida, with headquarters at Miami, until after January 1.

Yule Plea

D. A. Skinner Takes Role of Santa Claus for Family of 9.

(Associated Press.)

As an assistant to Santa Claus, David A. Skinner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, thinks he knows all the tricks of the bewhiskered old fellow and is just waiting for confirmation from a 14-year-old Tennessee girl.

Lucille B. Blair, who lives near Cleveland, Tenn., wrote a letter to "Dear Santa Klaus," in care of the chamber here. In it she said "we are not going to have any Christmas this year," adding there were nine in her family and all needed clothing.

When the letter reached Skinner, he promptly collected a few dollars to add to his own money, and wrote Lucille:

"In some way or other Santa Claus arranged to cooperate with some members of our staff to see to it that your message was not lost among the thousands of others of similar nature."

Besides the clothing, Mr. Skinner informed her, a lot of candy was coming, a book and some pipe tobacco for her father.

$25,000,000 MONTH GAIN IN FRENCH GOLD

$3,266,000,000 Is Total of Reserves; U. S. Stock Also Increases.

(Associated Press.)

French gold reserves totaling more than 170 times the defaulted war debt payment were reported yesterday by the Federal Reserve Board.

Noting a gain of $25,000,000 in the month preceding November 15, the board placed France's holdings on that date at $3,266,000,000. The ar debts payment was $19,261,432.

The board said in its monthly review that most of the gold gained by the Bank of France came from the London bullion market where shipments from British India and South Africa were disposed of in large volume. About the same time, England, which paid $95,000,000 of war debts, had gold reserves of $678,000,000.

Germany had $195,000,000; Italy, which also paid, had reserves of $306,000,000, Belgium, which did not pay, had $362,000,000; the Netherlands, $415,000,000, and Switzerland, $493,000,000.

Low Point Last June.

The board said that during November the United States' stock of gold continued to grow and at the end of the month totaled $4,340,000,000, an increase of $430,000,000 since the low point of last June. It noted the further increase in member bank reserve balances and further decline in money rates, with the lowest on record for bankers' acceptances.

At the end of the week of November 4, member bank reserve balances were $2,378,000,000, as compared with $1,979,000,000 in January of 1932.

The rates on bankers' acceptances were listed as from 1 per cent to 1½ per cent.

The board said excess reserve balances fluctuated around $500,000,000 during the month.

Declines in Prices.

"Declines in prices of finished products have followed the decline in prices of raw materials in some industries, thus exerting an influence toward sustaining the market for these commodities by making them available to consumers at lower prices, the board said. "The degree to which finished products have declined has depended in part on market conditions and in part on the extent to which the cost of raw materials has entered into the cost of the finished product, as compared with labor, overhead and other costs."

Loss of income by persons connected with the different industries was attributed in varying degrees to declines in prices and the recession in activity. In agriculture, the report said, loss of income has been due almost entirely to the decline in prices of farm products, while in the construction industry loss of income has been chiefly due to reduced activity.

The board reported there were 95 bank failures in November, as compared with 102 the previous month. The banks suspended in November had deposits of $46,322,000, while 18 banks with deposits of $12,487,000 reopened.

Naming of Cruiser Present to Adams

Keel of New Warship Will Be Laid at Secretary's Home Town.

(Associated Press.)

Here is a pleasant surprise for Secretary Adams—the Navy's newest cruiser is to be named Quincy for his home town in Massachusetts. The former Quincy mayor who is now the Navy's head will learn of this for the first time when he reads the news in the Boston papers.

Mr. Adams left Washington last night to spend the holidays with relatives and friends in Quincy. At that hour the 10,000-ton cruiser, which will have its keel laid in Quincy in March, was known merely as CA-39.

So the naming is sort of a Christmas surprise, arranged by Assistant Navy Secretary Jahncke, Admiral W. V. Pratt, chief of naval operations, and Rear Admiral F. B. Upham, chief of navigation, with President Hoover playing his part in the Santa Claus quartet.

Ashurst Would Prohibit Tax-Exempt Securities

(Associated Press.)

A constitutional amendment, prohibiting the United States or any State thereof from issuing any more tax-exempt securities, was proposed in the Senate yesterday by Senator Ashurst (Democrat), Arizona, and referred to the judiciary committee.

He said "it would astound senators" to know how much money already had been invested in such securities and until and unless the Constitution were amended, millions would continue to flow in that direction. He said he believed it would bring about a lessening of taxes by providing more revenues.

ILLINOIS COAL WAGE AGREEMENT SIGNED

Mine Workers and Owners Extend $5 Day Pact for Two Years.

Chicago, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A two years' extension of the wage agreement ending March 31 was signed today by the United Mine Workers of America, District 12 (Illinois), and the Illinois Coal Operators Association.

The current scale calls for a basic wage of $5. Agreement upon this figure ended a protracted tie-up of coal mines in the State last spring, although it precipitated strife in the coal fields between miners adhering to the contract of the United Mine Workers Union and a group which formed the Progressive Miners Union.

The new contract extends the $5 basic wage until March 31, 1935.

It was drafted, an announcement from the conference said, to conform with similar terms agreed upon by Indiana miners and operators last August, conditions in Illinois and Indiana fields being regarded as alike.

John L. Lewis, International president of the United Mine Workers, called today's agreement the death knell of the Progressive Union. He said it would insure peace and stability in Illinois coal fields for two more years, an adequate supply of coal and opportunity for owners to make long-term contracts.

Senate Rent Probers Resume Hearings Today

The Senate's District rent investigating subcommittee will resume its rent hearings at 10:30 o'clock this morning in the Senate District committee room, with Investigator Oscar H. Brinkman on the witness stand.

Brinkman has covered only six points of a 37-point report on the local rent situation. At the conclusion of his report he will make eight recommendations to the committee. He will again be cross-questioned today by Roger J. Whiteford, attorney for the Washington Real Estate Board, and Rufus Lusk, special investigator for the board.

Paraguayan Peace Delegate to Stay

Order to Withdraw From Neutral Group Here Is Canceled.

(Associated Press.)

Dr. Juan Jose Soler, Paraguayan delegate to the Chaco peace negotiations with Bolivia, announced yesterday he would not leave Washington today, as planned, but on instruction from his government, would remain here at least another week.

The Asuncion office had ordered Dr. Soler to withdraw immediately from negotiations here, and he intended leaving New York today for Buenos Aires on the steamer Pan America.

The neutral commission seeking to resolve Bolivian-Paraguayan difficulty over the Chaco twice requested Paraguay not to insist on its determination to withdraw its representative. The present change in plans indicated Paraguay's reconsideration of its plan to retire immediately from the peace conference. Dr. Soler, however, said his stay here probably would be brief.

Transfer of Land Office Is Opposed

Resolution Setting Aside Order of Hoover to Be Introduced Today.

(Associated Press.)

A resolution to set aside President Hoover's order transferring the General Land Office from the Interior Department to the Agriculture Department is being prepared by Senator Carey (Republican), Wyoming, for introduction today.

Carey, who has been regarded as an administration stalwart, said "the General Land Office does not belong under that department" and described the transfer "as just another attempt to get control of all the public lands for the Forest Service."

His resolution will be the first offered in the Senate opposing the recent consolidations and transfers ordered by the President as an economy move. They would become effective February 7 unless forbidden by congressional order.

Fish's Munitions Charge Is Denied by Bolivian

(Associated Press.)

The Bolivian Minister, Enrique Finot, yesterday denied the charge made Wednesday by Representative Fish, of New York, that Bolivia had purchased arms with American money to fight Paraguay.

The minister said American bankers had converted an English loan made by the Vickers-Armstrong Co., British arms manufacturers, to Bolivia for the purchase of arms from that company, in order to improve the securities offered the American bankers on previous loans. The Americans, the minister said, chose that method of consolidating the Bolivian debt.

Colombia Now Linked With U. S. by Telephone

Telephone service between the United States and Colombia was inaugurated yesterday with a conversation between Secretary of State Stimson, in his office here, and Dr. Alberto Pumerejo, minister of posts and telegraphs of Colombia, in Bogota.

At both ends of the long wire officials of each government, diplomatic representatives of each nation and telephone company officials conversed after the two Cabinet members had held the first conversation.

Kingsford-Smith, Ocean Flier, Is Father of Boy

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A son was born today to Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, famous round-the-world flier, and his wife.

Wing Commander Kingsford-Smith was married in Melbourne, Australia, on December 10, 1930, to Miss Mary Powell, pretty Irish-Australian girl. Their romance had its beginning in 1927, after his transpacific flight.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Goldheim Hand Made Silk Ties.....$1.00 to $5.00
Ruxton Tab-Collar Shirts.....$2.50 to $3.00
Ruxton Neckband Shirts.....$2.00 to $4.00
Ruxton Stiff Collar Shirts.....$2.50 to $5.00
Ruxton Evening Shirts.....$3.00 to $5.00
Goldheim Flannel Robes.....$6.50 to $15.00
Goldheim Brocade Robes.....$12.50 to $20.00
Goldheim White Handkerchiefs.....35c to $2.50
Goldheim Gloves.....$2.50 to $6.00
Goldheim Fitted Toilet Kits.....$7.50
Interwoven Hose.....35c to $1.00
Goldheim Fashioned Hose.....$1.00 to $4.00

Goldheim's
Apparel for Gentlemen...Established 1875
1409 H STREET, N.W. NATIONAL 1409

SPECIAL NOTICES

THE BRIGHTWOOD COMMANDERY KIDdies' party will be held Friday, December 23, at 7 p. m. The members of Brightwood Commandery, No. 6, and their children are invited.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Rosslyn Steel & Cement Co. first mortgage bonds Nos. 13, 42, 65, 85, 97, 104, 114, 129, 130, 135, 136, 204, 212, 214, 219, 222, 224, 240, 316 and 324 will be redeemed at 105 at the Federal-American National Bank & Trust Co., Washington, D. C., on FEBRUARY 1, 1933, from which time interest on said bonds will cease.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the District National Bank of Washington, in Washington, D. C., will be held TUESDAY, January 10, 1933, at 12 noon, at the main office, 1406 G street northwest. Polls will be open from 12 noon to 1 p. m. for the election of directors and such other business as may properly be transacted.
HILLEARY L. OFFUTT, Jr., Cashier.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREholders of the Commercial National Bank of Washington, D. C., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting will be held at the bank at 12 o'clock noon, on TUESDAY, January 10, 1933. The polls will be open between 12 and 1 o'clock p. m. F. H. COX, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE Co. of Washington and Georgetown, Seventh street and Indiana avenue northwest. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Co. of Washington and Georgetown will meet at the office on MONDAY, January 2, 1933, for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 m. ALBERT W. HOWARD, Secretary.

Window SHADES: Floor Coverings; SCREENS; prompt, neat, 48¢. KLEEBLATT, 11th and H ne. Linc. 0670

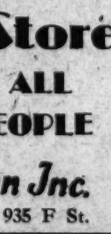
CHAIR CANEING—Porch rockers splinted; upholstering. Armstrong, 1235 10th nw. Met. 2062

★ WANT A STEADY POSITION? ★

With a regular income—it's yours. Millions are working. Others are being employed daily. We have openings all hours. Short and Review Courses. Prepare now. You can WIN, if you attend Boyd's. Inquire

Boyd School, 1333 F St. Nat. 2340

ENJOY DANCING



Get the utmost enjoyment out of your dancing . . . be sure you are an up-to-date partner. A few hours under the guidance of Leroy H. Thayer's expert instructors will make you dance-perfect.
LEROY H. THAYER STUDIOS
1226 Connecticut ave. STerling 9354.

★ Washington's
Gift Store
FOR ALL THE PEOPLE
A. Kahn Inc.
40 Years at 935 F St.

GOOD MORNING

Don't forget to order coal today at lowest prices from

WASH. B. WILLIAMS
Georgia 4800

SINGING CANARIES
Rollers and Choppers
$4.00 Each

Chesapeake Bay Puppies
Males, $25
Females, $15
Other Puppies
$7.00 and up
Also SACRED SIAMESE KITTENS
Schmid's Emporium of Pets
712 12th St. N.W.

For All BOOKS go to Brentano's
For all books advertised or reviewed in this newspaper—or for any book or any periodical in any language, Brentano's is the finest bookstore in Washington. Complete stocks. Immediate deliveries. A pleasant place to buy books.
BRENTANO'S
Established 1853
1322 F Street—National 0860
Brentano's is open until 9 P. M.

POST WANT ADS PAY.

Two Days—and Then . . Old Santa and Christmas!

Open Evenings 'Til 9 P.M.
GROCE'S
CORNER 11th and E Sts.

ALL TOYS MUST BE SOLD
PRICES SLASHED—SAVE!!

ICE SKATES
Clamp and Screw type. All steel nickel-plated skates. 69c

ICE SKATES WITH SHOES
Complete $1.95 up

ELECTRIC TRAINS

SEIS — Complete With Tracks and Transformer $2.75
Complete Line of Lionel Accessories

Masda Tree Light Sets.....50c
Xmas Tree Lamps.....3 for 5c
Chemcraft Sets.....59c up
Erector Sets.....89c up
Tootsie Toy Sets.....59c

"Cadillac" Made by Famous "Shelby Cycle Co."

Standard Make
BICYCLES
MOTOR BIKE MODEL 28-inch wheels; New Departure coaster brake; braced bar; reinforced front fork; equipped with stand; chrome-plated rims. Special at $24.95

ROLL FAST Ball-Bearing SKATES
For boys and girls. $1.39

BOXING GLOVES.....$1.95 up
FOOTBALLS.....1.25 up
BASKET BALLS.....1.95 up
"EXERCISERS"......95 up
PUNCHING BAGS.....2.25 up
GOLF BAGS.....6.95

GROCE'S
CORNER 11th and E Sts.

TOYS at Prices That Save You Money—

TOYS at Prices That Save You Money—

LARGE STILL SEIZED, PLUMMER ARRESTED

Man Called Bootlegger King Held in Default of $20,000 Bail.

Special to The Washington Post.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 22.—A large still said to belong to William Plummer, who dry officials have called the king of the bootleggers in Southern Maryland and whose record in the U. S. District Court here shows two convictions on liquor charges, was seized and destroyed by prohibition investigators early this week.

The seizure of the still by raiders under Thomas Bailey, the new agent in charge in southern Maryland, was revealed today after Plummer had been taken into custody on a charge of hijacking a group of investigators, including Bailey, last September.

Plummer, who William R. Blankford, deputy dry administrator for the District of Columbia, said was the "best informer I ever had," was held in default of $20,000 bail for a hearing December 29 before J. Frank Supplee, U. S. Commissioner.

An effort made by Morris S. Snyder Plummer's attorney, to have the bail reduced was unsuccessful, when Commissioner Supplee was told by Bailey of the warrant in the other case, in which Plummer is charged with manufacture and possession of liquor.

This warrant, Bailey said, was issued Wednesday at his request by J. Frank Parran, U. S. commissioner at Upper Marlboro, and had not yet reached Baltimore for service.

Records in the office of Arthur L. Spamer, clerk of the United States District Court, revealed that William Plummer had pleaded guilty to transportation and possession of liquor in January, 1926, and had been fined $250 and that another plea of guilty to a similar charge in May, 1927, had resulted in a jail sentence of 60 days.

The records also show that Plummer was arrested for a liquor violation in November, 1931, and dismissed by Harry N. Abercrombie, then U. S. commissioner, and that a charge of manufacture and possession of liquor against Plummer was nolle prossed in May of this year.

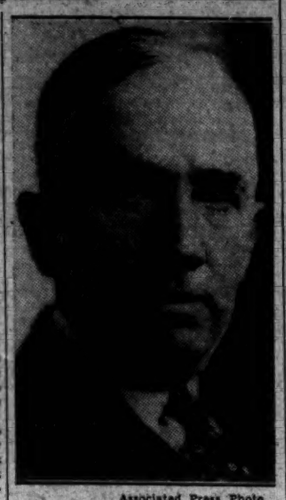
In the latter case, records of Simon E. Sobeloff, U. S. district attorney, showed that John P. Curtis, arrested with Plummer, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months in jail.

Mr. Sobeloff's records also showed that the case against Plummer, which came up in January, was postponed at the preliminary hearing at the request of D. V. Mallette, and John T. Weigel, special agents of the Prohibition Bureau.

These agents, who operated out of Washington, stated that Plummer had given them valuable information and had enabled them to seize a 750-gallon still.

Davis Asserts World Unity Vital to Problem Solution

American Envoy to Geneva Lands at New York in Hopeful Mood.



Associated Press Photo.
NORMAN H. DAVIS.

New York, December 22 (A.P.).—Norman H. Davis, United States delegate to the disarmament conference, returned on the Manhattan today with the statement, "The world has never been faced with so many major problems that can not be settled except by the concerted action of the governments."

Davis said the working out of economic problems that beset the world would be at best a slow process.

"People get used to new things quickly, but they take in new ideas slowly," he added. "But the main thing is that every one is doing more thinking, and they are seeing things in a different light. There is more promise than ever before that the nations will eventually reach some accord."

Davis said he intended to go to Washington tomorrow to see Secretary Stimson, and perhaps President Hoover. He declined to comment on reports that President-elect Roosevelt would ask him to join his Cabinet as Secretary of State.

Although he said it was not yet possible to show disarmament progress in concrete measures, Davis added that he felt much had been accomplished in working out technical details and agreeing on principles and procedure.

"The ground is prepared for the resumption of the conferences," he said. "There is more realization of the necessity of doing something and more will to do it. Getting Germany back into the arms conference has changed the atmosphere."

Accompanying him on the Manhattan were Mrs. Davis and his advisers, Maj. Gen. Frank McCoy, Admiral Arthur J. Hepburn and Allen W. Dulles.

$1,000,000 PERSONAL INCOMES DECREASE FROM 531 TO 75

Continued from Page 1.

493,293 corporations reporting up to September 1, 1932, only 170,683 showed taxable income for 1931. The combined net income of all those corporations which managed to keep out of the red was $3,110,000,000. But the 269,704 corporations reporting no taxable income showed a combined deficit of $6,087,000,000 for the year.

The comparative tabulations of the Treasury show that in no other year since the income tax laws became effective have the combined losses of the deficit group exceeded the combined net income of the earning group. In 1921, he combined net income of the corporate returns was $4,336,047,000 and the combined losses of the deficit group, $3,878,000,000.

Although no official figures for 1932 are yet available, private reports for the period January-October indicate that corporate earnings will show a further decline for the year. A recent analysis by Standard Statistics Co., of New York, estimates the 1932 net of 105 corporations at $637,177,000, against $802,661,000 for the same firms in 1931. The corporations used in this survey comprised 83 industrials, 9 utility holding companies, 10 utility operating firms and 3 leading railroads.

Official Federal Statistics.

These figures plus the official Government statistics for 1931, provide a clue as to what may be expected from the 1932 tax returns, which will begin to flow into the Treasury after January 1.

Capital losses continued to make heavy inroads on the tax resources of the Nation last year, the deductions in this category aggregating $1,043,000,000 for 1931 against $1,215,055,000 in 1930.

Capital gains and profits from the sale of property were only $450,000,000 last year, against $1,325,000,000 in 1930 and $4,660,000,000 in 1929.

Wages and salaries reported in the individual income tax returns totaled $7,908,000,000 for 1931, against $9,380,000,000 for 1930 and $10,740,000,000 for 1929.

Federal Tax Burden.

The Treasury figures throw much light on the distribution of the Federal tax burden as between the several income classes. Out of the combined net income of $13,231,852,042 reported by the 3,116,317 individual returns for 1931, slightly more than 69 per cent went to the group reporting less than $10,000 net. This group, however, paid only 7.9 per cent of the total of $241,282,875 income tax.

Roughly 79 per cent of all income taxes collected came from individuals reporting more than $25,000 a year net.

The 75 individuals who reported income of $1,000,000 or more had a combined net income of $163,000,000 for the year. Their combined tax of $26,292,000 was 10.89 per cent of all the income taxes collected on 1931 returns.

Taxpayers in this million-or-over class were fewer last year than in any year since 1923, when there were 74 such reports. From 207 in 1925, this figure increased steadily to 511 in 1928 and 513 in 1929. In 1921, the last depression year, the number of reports in this category was only 21.

Individual Tax Payers.

The following table shows the combined net income of all individual tax payers reporting since 1916:

Year.	Combined Net Income
1916	$ 6,298,000,000
1917	13,652,000,000
1918	15,924,000,000
1919	19,859,000,000
1920	23,735,000,000
1921	19,577,000,000
1922	21,336,212,530
1923	24,777,000,000
1924	25,866,000,000
1925	21,894,000,000
1926	21,958,000,000
1927	22,545,000,000
1928	25,226,000,000
1929	24,800,000,000
1930	18,118,000,000
1931	13,231,000,000

Since 1917 the total number of individual returns has fluctuated between the 1931 low of 3,116,317 and the all-time high of 7,698,321 for the calendar year 1929. All of this fluctuation, however, is not due to changes in business conditions from year to year. Revision of the tax laws in 1921 and 1926 changed the base for reporting incomes so as to bring in large new classes or exclude some nonproductive classes previously called upon for annual returns.

Incomes Under $10,000.

For the year 1931 there were 2,946,034 returns from those reporting net incomes under $10,000. Of this number, 1,655,000 returns reported no taxable income.

Corporate net income as reported by those firms showing a profit dropped below the 1921 low record for the first time last spring. In 1921 the 171,000 earning corporations reported a combined net income of $4,336,000,000. The high was reached in 1929, when 269,430 earners had a combined net of $11,653,886,000. For 1931 the comparable figure was $3,110,642,568 from 170,683 corporations.

All of the figures cited in yesterday's report were based on tax laws in operation prior to the emergency revenue measure passed in the last session of Congress. The new provisions of the 1932 law will not be reflected until the next batch of income returns are filed, early in 1933.

A Complete Funeral for $75.00

or even LESS. The $75 funeral includes: Casket, any color; plate engraved with name, No. 1 outside pine case, embalming by competent men, washing, dressing and shaving, if necessary; advertising of notices, hearse, 2 Cadillac limousines, russ. chairs, scarf for the door, removing from hospitals or home and all necessary services that are so well known at the DEAL FUNERAL HOME. NO EXTRAS.

Deal Funeral Home
LINCOLN 8200

MELLON EXPECTING TO RETIRE MARCH 4

Ambassador Arrives From England to Spend Holidays With Family.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Andrew Mellon said today he would retire to his Pittsburgh home soon after March 4.

To get a "fresh perspective on affairs in Washington" and to spend Christmas with his family, the Ambassador to England arrived aboard the Europa, insistent that it is not appropriate for him now to discuss the war debt situation in any way.

Asked if he had any intention of resigning while in America for the holidays, Mr. Mellon said:

"I wouldn't have any reason not to go back, and it is hardly within the range of possibility that I would not do so."

Ambassador Seeks Rest.

The former Secertary of the Treasury, saying he was somewhat tired and anxious for a rest, said he expected to be replaced at the Court of St. James as soon as Mr. Roosevelt is inaugurated.

The ambassador said he would telephone the White House tonight and arrange to confer with President Hoover before the latter leaves for a vacation in Florida.

"I'll probably return to England January 4," said the ambassador, "and when I return to America in March, I'll go back to Pittsburgh."

Mr. Mellon said he wasn't sure "whether I'll still participate in Pennsylvania politics, or not. That's something I can't say until I get home."

The ambassador remained silent on the November election. His only comment on the Republican party was that "it should saw wood now to prepare for 1936."

Notables on Ship.

With a Christmas tree atop its foremast, the Europa brought to America numerous holiday homecomers and notables that included:

Charles A. Davila, Roumanian minister to Washington, who said: "I can not say at this time what my country will do next June when our war debt payment to the United States becomes due."

Ivan Boeff, deputy peoples commissar for foreign trade of the U. S. S. R., who came to America to confer with officials of the Amtorg Trading Corporation over Soviet-American trade relations.

Bruno Walter, conductor of German symphony orchestras, who will be guest conductor of the New York Philharmonic Orchestra.

Serge Prokofieff, Russian composer, here to give a premiere of his latest concerto and to appear with symphony orchestras in New York, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia.

William T. Tilden 2d, former world's tennis champion, who returned with Bruce Barnes, of Austin, Tex., from a tour through eleven European countries.

Army Plane Damaged During Forced Landing

South Vienna, Ohio, Dec. 22 (A.P.). Capt. A. B. Beaton, of San Diego, Calif., made a forced landing in an Army plane here tonight.

The landing gear and propeller were smashed but he was unhurt. Capt. Beaton was flying from Pittsburgh to San Diego. A thick fog forced him down.

Still Seized Near School.

Kansas City, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Children going to and from the Frances Willard Grade School, named for the temperance leader, complained of an unusual odor as they passed a house on Brooklyn avenue. Government agents heard about it and seized a 100-gallon still and 200 gallons of whisky in the house. They arrested Joe Cordello and Frank Lucco.

Cross-Fire

Governors of Jersey and Georgia Swap 'Poseys' As Burns Is Free.

Associated Press Photo.
GOV. RICHARD B. RUSSELL, JR.

Atlanta, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Denouncing charges that Georgia's penal system is barbarous and inhumane, Gov. Richard B. Russell, jr., today termed the refusal of Gov. A. Harry Moore of New Jersey to extradite Robert Elliott Burns, chain gang fugitive, a violation of his own State laws and the United States Constitution.

Gov. Russell said the New Jersey executive's decision made it easy to understand how "the most horrible crime of modern times, the kidnaping and murder of the Lindbergh baby, which shocked the entire world, could occur and go unpunished in a State whose governor has such ideas of law and proprieties as manifested by the judgment in this case."

"The governor of New Jersey," Russell said, "is either desirous of basking in the light of some cheap publicity or else is completely taken in by the statements and writings of Burns, which have been proven false and are a slander on the State of Georgia and its institutions."

The State prison commission and Attorney General Lawrence S. Camp both issued statements later in the day. The commission termed Gov. Moore's action an "outrage" and said that the New Jersey executive's action "violated all precedent" and that he personally "violated his oath of office to uphold the Constitution of the United States."

The Georgia Governor said Gov. Moore prejudiced the case by stating that Burns' offense of "robbing a citizen of this State at the point of a pistol" was a "trivial" offense. Russell said Moore "evidently bases this upon the fact that the citizen who happened to be the victim of the holdup staged by Burns and his gang, did not have a great deal of money and that Burns, therefore, was ill paid for his efforts."

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A free citizen of New Jersey, Robert Elliott Burns, Georgia chain-gang fugitive, remained in seclusion today, while Gov. A. Harry Moore, whose decision saved him from return to the South, read congratulatory messages and waved aside an attack on his judgment by Gov. Richard B. Russell, jr., of Georgia.

"I wish the Governor of Georgia a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and respectfully refer him to the Fuller case," was Moore's only comment when informed of Russell's criticism.

The Fuller case, it was understood, involved the refusal by Georgia authorities to release to New York State a man charged with absconding with $100,000.

PRESIDENT ABANDONS PLAN TO NAME DEBT COMMISSION

Continued from Page 1.

proceed as he sees fit after next March 4 in solving the related questions surrounding war debts, disarmament and the world economic conference.

Messages Made Public.

These were the disclosures that yesterday accompanied the White House release of four telegrams between the President and his successor-elect, outlining Mr. Hoover's plan for a jointly created commission and Mr. Roosevelt's statement that he could not accept "an apparent joint responsibility" for such action.

With the discussions between the two terminated, it became apparent in the Capital last night that the problems concerned probably will be handed on to the next administration in much their present form.

Despite Mr. Roosevelt's suggestion that the President proceed with an examination of the war debt and related problems, without pledging the next administration to action, Mr. Hoover feels that the creation of a commission would be useless unless it could continue active after March 4.

Declines Responsibility.

The President-elect declined also to accede to the Chief Executive's hitherto undisclosed suggestion that Owen D. Young, Col. E. M. House or some other prominent Democrat be named to "sit with the principal officers of this administration in an endeavor to see what steps can be taken to avoid delays of precious time and inevitable losses that will ensue from such delays."

"For me to accept any joint responsibility in the work of exploration," Mr. Roosevelt replied, "might well be construed by the debtor or other nations, collectively or individually, as a commitment—moral even though not legal—as to policies and courses of action."

The release of the Hoover-Roosevelt correspondence broke an air of tension at the White House felt there since the dispatch of the first telegram to Albany last Saturday night.

At Albany, too, there was an apparent relaxation. With the first flash of news from the White House, Gov. Roosevelt summoned newspapermen to his office

Leaders Reveal Messages.

Waving before them a batch of folders and wrinkled papers drawn from his coat pocket, he disclosed the telegrams exchanged between himself and the President, saying with a smile:

"I've been keeping these right in my inside pocket. Sit down and I'll read them to you."

At the White House there was little drama in the release of the interchange, although a wild scramble ensued among newspapermen after one of the President's secretaries handed out mimeographed copies. Pinned to them was this statement by the President:

"Gov. Roosevelt considers that it is undesirable for him to assent to my suggestions for cooperative action on the foreign problems outlined in my recent message to Congress. I will respect his wishes.

Governor Does Not Comment.

"Situations will no doubt develop and will be dealt with by the administration as they arise, but, of course, no commitments will be made for the next administration."

At Albany, the President-elect confined his remarks to a brisk reading of the messages and the added line:

"Well, that's about all. I have no comment to make."

Aldermen Override M'Kee Budget Veto

Acting New York Mayor Is Supported by Only One Official.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Acting Mayor Joseph V. McKee's veto of a $596,000 budget cut, which he called "piecemeal," was overridden by the board of aldermen today. Fifty-eight aldermen, four more than the three-fourths majority required to upset a veto, voted for retention of the economies.

In his veto message, Mayor McKee said it would be better to consider the budget as a whole when scheduled efforts to prune $40,000,000 from it are begun. Piecemeal nibbling at it now, he said, might retard the more comprehensive reduction program.

The only alderman to vote with the mayor, Minority Leader Joseph Clark Baldwin 3d, said the board's motive in overriding the veto would be to play politics. Alderman Francis D. McGarey replied that it was Mayor McKee who was playing "petty politics."

Honduran Rebel Check Reported by Federals

Teucigalpa, Honduras, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Nationalist troops attacked a rebel contingent near Langue, west of Nacome, yesterday afternoon, it was reported today, and after a two-hour fight the rebels withdrew to the west and south.

Airplanes bombed them.

KIDNAPERS BLAMED IN SLAYING OF GIRL

Body of Clerk, 22, Is Found Under Illinois Span, Stuffed in Sack.

Moline, Ill., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The theory of murder by extortioners was investigated tonight in the absence of clews to the kidnaping and brutal slaying of Miss Rose Gendler, 22, department store clerk.

Gagged and her head crushed, Miss Gendler's body was found in a sack on the ice under a bridge near here early today.

At almost the same hour, police at Rock Island, Ill., were notified that Jacob Mark, the girl's stepfather, found a note in his door reading:

"We have your Rosy. We want $2,000. Don't worry. She is all right. Don't tell the cops."

Author of Note Hunted.

The slaying baffled authorities of Moline and its sister cities of Rock Island, the girl's home, and Davenport, Iowa, where she worked. Police hunted the author of the note and an unidentified man who telephoned Miss Gendler before she left the store at 9:30 last night.

Whether there was any connection between the ransom note and the telephone call was not known.

Miss Gendler, by custom, took a Bridge Line street car to Rock Island, transferring there to another car, which took her near her home. Before leaving last night, she told her mother by telephone she was ready to leave for home.

Body Found Under Bridge.

The girl's body was found this morning by Henry Beck, who lives near the bridge. He was called to the spot by two boys, who noticed blood at the bottom of the bridge. Walking across the ice, Beck found the sack containing the body.

Miss Gendler's head was partly crushed and a gag was in her mouth. A rope was tightly tied around the gag and her head.

Authorities believe she was killed on the bridge and her body thrown to the ice.

Daughter of Thurston Divorces Playboy Mate

Pittsburgh, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Jane Thurston, daughter of the magician, today was granted a divorce from Harry Harris, youthful Pittsburgh playboy and son of the late State Senator John P. Harris.

As Judge James H. Gray signed the decree, the comely blonde said: "If I ever get married again you can just bounce me a good one on the noodle."

Miss Thurston, who won her divorce by testifying that Harris often got drunk and beat her, said she is going back to show business.

Holland Gives Tulips to Italy.

Rome, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Fifteen thousand Dutch tulip bulbs will be planted in Rome to remind Italians of Holland's friendship for the 10-year-old Fascist government. They were sent here as a decennial present and will be planted in public gardens.

JULIUS GARFINCKEL & Co.
F STREET AT FOURTEENTH

Just One Thing to Remember
The Gift of All Gifts Is
"SOMETHING FROM GARFINCKEL'S"

The rest is easy, for we have marvelous selections of fresh, lovely merchandise throughout the Store.

The perfect gift is here for every one on your list, from start to finish . . . the gift that is kept . . . used and treasured because it carries with it the charm and taste always associated with Garfinckel goods.

The Perfect Gift Opportunity . . .

Diamond prices have already advanced abroad . . . but today we are selling our stock of finest quality, perfect

DIAMONDS
AT PRESENT LOW PRICES

—with the smallest margin of profit in our 57 years. That means every diamond bought here is a remarkable value and a real investment! Buy a Diamond before retail prices advance!

R. Harris & Co.
F Street at 11th
Jewelers and Diamond Merchants for Over Half a Century

FOR CHRISTMAS - -
PLANTERS PEANUTS
AND HIGH GRADE NUTS
SPECIAL PRICES

SELECTED BROKEN	Cashews 25c	Lb.
BLANCHED SPANISH	Salted Peanuts 19c	Lb.
FAMILY SIZE	Old-Fashioned Bars .. 15c	Each
FANCY WHOLE	Cashews 59c	Lb.

All Nutmeats Are Salted in Pure Creamery Butter

We carry a complete assortment of nutmeats consisting chiefly of almonds, brazils, pignolias, pistachios, pecans and mixed nutmeats. You can purchase any of the above either salted or unsalted.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

LARGE STOCKINGS	(empty)	2 for 5c
SMALL STOCKINGS	(empty)	3 for 5c
SANTA CLAUS	(empty)	5c Each
LARGE NOVELTY PEANUT	(empty)	10c Each

SPECIAL PRICES IN DOZEN LOTS

RED HOT
PLANTERS PEANUTS 2 POUNDS FOR 25c
(IN THE SHELL)—(ONE POUND 15c)

WE CARRY SPECIAL GIFT BOXES
Sold by National Peanut Corporation

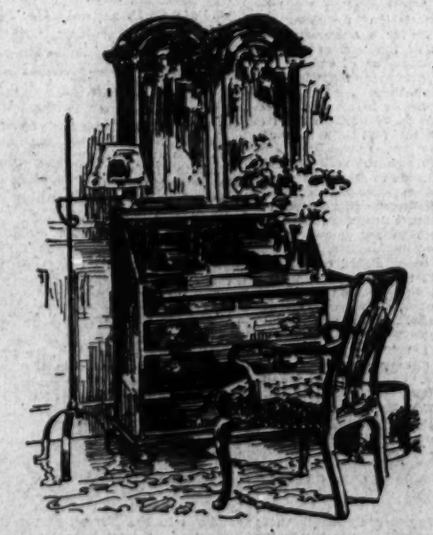
705 15TH ST. N. W.
15th and New York Avenue

DOCTORS
Recommend
AMBULANCES
By
The GREATER Chambers Co
Clean, Fresh and SANITARY
Charges Lowest in City
$4.00 ANY PLACE IN D. C.
VERY LOW RATES ON LONG DISTANCE CALLS
Call COl. 0432

PHONE NATIONAL 4205
FOR POST CLASSIFIED ADS

BLANKETS—BEDDING LIFETIME MATTRESS RADIOS—LAMPS—RUGS

Many Secretaries
AT TEMPTING CHRISTMAS PRICES



You will find it a delightfully simple task to select a Secretary Desk at Mayer & Co. There are so many from which to choose and all such lovely qualities.

Winthrop Types at $49—$57.50—$95 up.

Block-Front Styles priced from $69 up.

Other Secretaries priced from $35 up.

Thousands of Gift Items in Our Christmas Displays

PARKING SERVICE—DRIVE TO REAR ENTRANCE—CAR WILL BE PARKED

MAYER & CO.
Seventh Street *Between D and E*

NEW 1933 MODELS LEONARD ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

DIED

BARNARD—Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1932, JAMES S. BARNARD, beloved brother of Mrs. J. T. Kent, of Los Angeles, Calif. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest. Notice of funeral later.

BASIN—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, GLENN SWIFT, beloved wife of John W. Basin. Funeral services at the Fourth Presbyterian Church, Fifteenth and Fairmont streets northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BEARD—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at his residence, 949 Longfellow street northwest, GEORGE L., beloved husband of Grace Beard and father of Bertie Beard. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BRIGGS—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at her home, Walker avenue, Gaithersburg, Md., IDA VIRGINIA BRIGGS (nee Sparrow), beloved wife of the late Gideon D. Briggs. Funeral from her late home, Gaithersburg, Md., on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Forest Oak Cemetery, Gaithersburg, Md.

CARTER—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at Salisbury, N. C., ELLA J., beloved mother of Herbert K. Carter, of Rockville Center, N. Y., and James G. Carter, of Louisville, Ky. Interment at Salisbury, N. C., on Friday, December 23. (Other papers please copy.)

DIAMOND—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at her home near Gaithersburg, Md., GLADYS WHEELER, beloved wife of Douglass Diamond. Funeral services at St. Rose Catholic Church, Clopper, Md., on Saturday, December 24, at 10:30 a. m. Interment church cemetery.

DUNAN—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at 9:30 p. m., at her residence, 610 C street northeast, ROSE E. DUNAN, loving mother of Mrs. Elsie Foreman and Harry A. Dunan, in her seventy-fourth year. Notice of funeral later.

FAGELSON—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at her residence, 314 Wolfe street, Alexandria, Va., BESSIE RUBIN, beloved wife of Joseph Fagelson and mother of Anna Fagelson. Funeral from the chapel of Bernard Danzansky, 3501 Fourteenth street northwest, on Friday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment at Ohev Sholom Cemetery.

FISHER—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at his residence, 53 Rhode Island avenue northwest, EDWARD Y., beloved husband of Mary J. Fisher and father of Ralph E. Fisher and Mrs. W. G. Scott, of California. Funeral from John R. Wright funeral home, 1937 Tenth street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

HUHN—On Tuesday, December 20, 1932, at her residence, 429 Eleventh street northeast, after an illness, NELLIE C. HUHN (nee McAuliffe), widow of William Huhn, in her seventy-third year. Funeral services at her late residence Friday, December 23, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to Holy Comforter Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

LEAP—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at her residence, 417 New Jersey avenue southeast, LEON STELLA, widow of Theodore L. Leap and mother of Edwin D., James W., Theodore L. and Josephine I. Leap. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

LINK—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at his residence, 20 Baltimore avenue, Capitol Heights, Md., FRANK J., beloved husband of Susie Link. Funeral from his late residence on Friday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

LOFFLER—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, ANDREW D., beloved husband of Elsa Loffler (nee Brodt), aged fifty-four years. Funeral from his late residence, 724 Eleventh street northwest, on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

McDONNELL—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at his residence, 2415 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, JAMES A., beloved husband of Lucy G. McDonnell (nee Evans). Funeral from above residence on Saturday, December 24, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Stephen's Church, Twenty-fifth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, at 9 a. m., where high requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

MORRIS—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at her residence, 1419 R street northwest, apartment 14, JULIA F., widow of John C. Morris. Funeral services at her late residence, on Saturday, December 24, at 10 a. m. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

MYERS—Suddenly, on Sunday, December 18, 1932, at her residence, the Franklin Park Hotel, 1332 I street northwest, IDA GILBERT MYERS, book review editor of the Evening Star. Funeral from the parlors of Almus R. Speare, 1823 Connecticut avenue, on Friday, December 23, at 10 a. m.

NOLAN—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Providence Hospital, ROBERT EDWARD, beloved husband of the late Minnie J. Nolan. He is survived by eight children. Funeral from his late residence, 328 F street northeast, on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Bethel, Alexandria, Va. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

NEWTON—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at her residence, 2115 H street northwest, MINNIE A., beloved wife of William S. Newton. Body resting at 1804 M street northwest. Funeral services will be held at 1804 M street northwest, on Saturday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

OLIVER—On Tuesday, December 20, 1932, at her residence, 941 K street northwest, ALICE K., beloved wife of Robert L. Oliver and mother of Robert L., jr., and Willard Elmer Oliver. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, until Friday, December 23, at 12 noon. Interment at Cherry Hill, Va.

PEITZ—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, KATHERINE M., beloved wife of the late Henry Peitz and mother of Henry Peitz, of Virginia Beach, Va., and Carl Peitz, of North Bergen, N. J. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2001 Fourteenth street northwest. Notice of funeral later.

POERSTEL—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, MAXWELL, loving husband of Helen Lee Williams Poerstel and father of Richard Hilton, Shirley and Kenneth Poerstel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Poerstel, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Hilton, of Washington, D. C., aged thirty-six years. Funeral from the Nevius funeral home, 924 New York avenue northwest, Friday, December 23, at 1 p. m. Interment private.

RAY—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Front Royal, Va., ELIZABETH HUGHES, wife of Benton G. Ray. Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROBEY—On Tuesday, December 20, 1932, at his residence, 1515 Spring place northwest, ZANNIE ROBEY, brother of Mrs. Olive O. Leitch and Turner A. and H. C. Robey. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Friday, December 23, at 12:30 p. m. Funeral services in La Plata Methodist Episcopal Church, La Plata, Md., at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Rest Cemetery, La Plata, Md.

SCHROEDER—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at 6 a. m., at his residence, 324 Ninth street southeast, CHARLES E., beloved son of the late August W. and Altazera Henderson Schroeder. Services will be held at his late residence on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

STEPHENSON—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Naval Hospital, Commander FRANKLIN BACHE STEPHENSON, Medical Corps, U. S. N., aged eighty-four years. Funeral services and interment at Arlington National Cemetery, on Friday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m.

TAYLOR—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at Pittsburgh, Pa., RENNIE H., wife of the late George Barclay Taylor and sister of Mrs. E. L. Bartlet. Services at the chapel of H. Sampson, 537 Neville street, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Saturday, December 24, at 2 p. m.

WISE—On Thursday, December 22, 1932, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Clavelioux, 2000 North Capitol street, HENRIETTA WISE, aged seventy-eight years. She is survived by her sisters, Mrs. F. A. Clavelioux and Mrs. Charles Obold. Funeral services at the above residence, on Friday, December 23, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Martin's Catholic Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment at Hanover, Pa.

YOUNG—On Wednesday, December 21, 1932, at her residence, 3445 Ordway street northwest, MARY BARCLAY, widow of James Rankin Young and mother of Mrs. Glenn A. Smith, John Russell Young, James Barclay Young and Julia Coleman Young. Services at her late residence on Friday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

ESTABLISHED 1876.
JOHN R. WRIGHT CO.
1337 10th st. nw. Phone North 0047.

J. WILLIAM LEE'S SONS CO.
FUNERAL DIRECTORS.
CREMATORIUM
4th and C Sts. N.E. Lincoln 8300

CHAS. S. ZURHORST
101 EAST CAPITOL ST. LINCOLN 0872

Frank Geier's Sons Co.
1113 SEVENTH ST. NW. Telephone
Modern Chapel. NATIONAL 9473.

THOS. S. SERGEON
1011 7TH ST. NW. Telephone Main 1069

JAMES T. RYAN
817 PA. AVE. SE. Atlantic 1795.

FUNERAL DESIGNS

GEO. C. SHAFFER 900 14TH ST. NW
Expressive Floral Designs. Phone
Moderate prices. Open eve. & Sun. Nat. 0106

GUDE BROS. CO., Florists
1212 F STREET. National 4226.
APPROPRIATE FUNERAL DESIGNS.

VIRGINIA ROAD WORK MAY END NEXT JULY

Primary System Is Declared Menaced by Hoover's Fund Cut Plea.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The Times-Dispatch says that unless funds are available from some unforeseen source work on Virginia's 9,000-mile primary road system is threatened with an "enforced holiday" beginning next July and lasting for a year.

Pointing out that President Hoover has recommended that no Federal road money be granted the States next year, the paper said that unless Congress overrules this recommendation the primary system will have no more than $1,400,000, "an amount barely sufficient to keep the State convict road force at work."

Examination of the records of the State highway department shows, the story continues, that the primary system which in normal years consumes about $13,000,000 in construction and maintenance, must, under present conditions, proceed on "no more than $2,900,000 even if Federal aid is granted."

7,000 Jobs Threatened.

H. G. Shirley, State highway commissioner, was quoted as saying, "We shall do the best we can with whatever is available."

The paper estimated that a shutdown of work on the primary system, unaided by Federal funds, would throw 7,000 men out of work.

The situation regarding next year's funds was attributed to two factors: The General Assembly's reduction of the usual primary system funds by nearly 50 per cent and the necessity of advancing next year's funds to meet the expenditure of Reconstruction Finance Corporation loans that have gone exclusively for labor.

Secondary System Work.

Work on the secondary system, the paper continues, faces no such crisis, "and it is assumed that operation there will continue as originally intended."

Pointing out that the State is forced to match funds loaned by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the paper estimated that $2,000,000 from next year's road budget will be expended during the present fiscal year.

The fact that the gasoline tax is yielding about $800,000 less annually, the estimated reduction in the license tag proceeds from $8,000,000 to $4,000,000 were cited as further unfavorable factors.

Kiwanis-Rotary Parties Planned

Clubs Hold Joint Luncheon Meeting to Discuss Yule Fetes.

Plans for Christmas parties to be conducted by their members were discussed at a joint pre-Christmas luncheon of the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs held yesterday at the Raleigh Hotel. The meeting was presided over by Edwin F. Hill and Arthur C. Christie, presidents of Kiwanis and Rotary, respectively.

Following the luncheon the Rev. Z. Barney Phillips, chaplain of the Senate, spoke to the members of the spiritual meaning of Christmas and the increased opportunity for service. Fred East and William F. Raymond, of Kiwanis Club, and George O'Connor, of Rotary, sang a number of selections assisted by Robert Gotta. Other music was featured during the luncheon.

An appeal was made to support the request of the District of Columbia committee on employment for old and discarded clothes and for shoes requested by the "Old Woman in the Shoe." About 250 members of the two clubs attended.

BINGHAM TO SEEK BEER VOTE TODAY

Continued from Page 1.

not be debatable, and would force an immediate vote on consideration of the measure. Beer advocates were divided over the advisability of the strategy, but Bingham issued a call for them to be on hand to make up a quorum.

Sales Tax Rider Fades.

The Democratic decision to confine the beer bill to its present purpose and not add other revenue legislation virtually closed the door to the possibility of adding the sales tax as a rider.

It was agreed at the conference, composed chiefly of Democratic members of the Senate finance committee, to let the House originate any other taxation that may be found necessary to balance the budget.

Senator Reed, Pennsylvania Republican, and strong advocate of the sales tax, said he was not inclined to offer the proposal as an amendment to the beer bill and despite rumors that the sales tax would be proposed no one came forward to sponsor it.

Smothering Effort Seen.

Reports were current in the Senate cloakrooms that Senate dry leaders would attempt to "smother" the bill in committee and that they would have the tacit aid of prohibition opponents who feared enactment of a beer bill at this time would hinder the prohibition repeal movement.

Borah's voice was the first raised among prohibition-supporting senators indicating the battle the bill faces.

"If facts have any place in the discussion of the liquor question," he said, "the beer bill is in violation of the Constitution of the United States * * * An examination of the alcoholic content of the advertised beers for years prior to the eighteenth amendment, years in which they were sold as intoxicating beverages, discloses that they contained no higher alcoholic content than provided in this bill."

Hits Revenue Estimates.

Borah contended the bill would not raise $200,000,000 in revenue, as claimed by proponents, unless it was intoxicating.

"We are proposing, in other words," he said, "for the sum of $125,000,000 or $200,000,000 to establish by governmental action the principle of nullification. * * * I think, as a matter of good government and of constitutional principles, we ought to wait until the eighteenth amendment is repealed before we start in to selling intoxicating liquors."

Ready readers watch Post Classified ads for new propositions every morning. Put your message before them and get results the same day. Just phone National 4205.

The Federal Diary

By GEORGE D. RILEY

HERE'S the answer to that "something big" coming out of the chief taxidermist's department, National Museum, Smithsonian, W. L. Brown, in charge.

RILEY.

In the next few months the female hippopotamus which once graced the Zoological Gardens, will amble forth while the orchestra softly plays "Waddle I do" and take her place in a proper setting in the vast collection of creatures from far and wide.

"It is one of the biggest jobs we've undertaken," said Mr. Brown. "We are now ready to remove the cast and place the frame. Months of work will have been required to insure proper treatment of the specimen to insure preservation."

And if the hippo seems to yawn, "You said a mouthful," just remember that Mrs. Hipp did seem bored at times with the great numbers of visitors who deprived her of her privacy in home life.

From Port Barrow, Alaska, have just arrived a new consignment of birds received by Dr. Herbert Friedman, Division of Birds. These specimens will be turned over to Mr. Brown for mounting. They include eider ducks, gulls, red-throated loons, pintail ducks, Western sandpiper and black-bellied plover.

Mr. Brown's laboratory is lined with samples of work in his department, deer, viper and chimpanzee.

Trips were made to the zoo to study the male hippo, taking photographs, modeling, and so forth. Often when Mr. Brown and his helpers tried to study the hippo's mouth and face they would wait patiently until the subject drew his head from out of the corner. A view of the haunches, they'd wait till the north end swung around. Patience.

But Mrs. Hippo, in the flesh, soon will be ready to make her debut in her glass case. The technical details? What do they matter, so long as Mrs. Hippo keeps her gargling pose, so all may see the "river-horse" laugh.

Mr. Brown has served Smithsonian 25 years. Back in 1928 he accompanied a party of big game hunters, Mr. and Mrs. William Beach, Marcus Daly and Osgood Field to the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Africa, as Smithsonian representative.

"One could not visit Africa," said Mr. Brown, "without being convinced that the 'ants' are of great importance there. Though called ants, they are really termites. The homes they build are sometimes 10 to 15 feet high and as many feet across."

Mr. Brown climbed the Pyramid of Cheops and looked down upon centuries gone by.

"The pyramid is not made of smooth blocks, as many might think," said Mr. Brown. "The blocks are quite rough and while at one time they had a smooth coating, that coating has been removed by natives. I picked out pieces of the mortar from between the great stones. It was a very good mixture and had withstood the onslaughts of time well."

THERE should be plenty of blowing over this one.

Edwin E. Mager, who does drafting work, Airways, is an enthusiastic member of the Airways Bowling League, and until this year he was always "blowing" on his bowling. Only yesterday Eddie went to the office with a little tin horn. Some one asked, "Eddie, what are you going to do with that?" Eddie replied, "I am going to have something I can blow on, for I can't blow any more about my bowling."

Eddie confides in us how much he admires Rudy Vallee and always listens to him on the radio, but little did we know Eddie aspired to Vallee's place in the radio world. But some day Eddie will be Rudy's equal.

Eddie can't read music, but he says, "I can learn to play by ear." We've often wanted to see that stunt performed—more folks play by hand.

Here's hoping Eddie will put his ear to work, so the Commerce building will ring with Christmas carols. Eddie says all employes will be invited to sing carols tomorrow evening in front of the White House, with Eddie on the sax.

More than 500 native Coloradians, many of them Government workers in the District of Columbia, last night attended the special premiere of "Silver Dollar," Warner's Metropolitan, as guests of the Colorado State Society of Washington. Special invitations were sent to all Coloradians, in addition to a selected group of Government officials particularly interested in Colorado.

In spite of the weather, Miss M. L. Howard, in charge of standard cells, Bureau of Standards, has started driving South to spend the holidays at home—Augusta, Ga.

Veterans' Administration Employes Welfare Association members are looking back over a successful year of operation of the welfare body, A. J. Brosseau, member of one of the legal appeal groups and president of the association, reports.

"We have found increasing opportunities to do relief work in cases of sickness, death and other emergencies," said Mr. Brosseau. "Many of our people have been sending money back home to assist their relatives and when emergencies sprang upon them they were without reserve funds. We made loans, without interest, subject to repayment in installments.

"We have accumulated our revolving fund, not through contributions, but through the medium of dances and card parties, always well attended. Our next dance will be in January.

"Those active in welfare work in the veterans association are Miss Janet McRae, entertainment chairman; Miss Maud Joyner, relief chairman; Bernard Bee, entertainment committee, and Miss Dorothy Harper, liaison between hospitals and the Veterans Administration."

Nonbelievers in Mr. S. Claus are urged to go to room 6414, Commerce Building, where they will see a wide assortment of packaged remembrances sent to Irene Culahan, Marion Simpson, Isabel Burton, Pauline Thompson, Georgebelle Loops, Edith Sherwood and Louise Evers. (Have you heard Louise's voice? You should).

Those presents are testimonials of appreciation from all over the Commerce Building sent in recognition of efficient and courteous service during 1932.

For the benefit of the curious we dispense the startling information that Swarmi Fedd weighs 185 pounds, fully equipped with fez and robes, and certified by George Howe, D. C. Department of Weights and Measures. However, the Swarmi has not had his liquid measure registered yet. The old crystal gazer has always doubted the reliability of those "your weight free" scales, but when he encountered George in Ewart's Cafeteria testing the scales with standard weights he was forced to accept the verdict of the illuminated dial, particularly when George affixed a little green seal with his signature upon it. George—and Howe!

W. L. Brown, chief taxidermist, National Museum, is shown at work on his latest big job. Mrs. Hippo is having her future carved.

"He's a live wire in whatever he undertakes." That's how his associates have W. F. McDonald, chief, Marine Division, Weather Bureau, sized up. W. F. also is president of Weather Bureau Lodge, No. 23, A. F. G. E. And in the old days "23" meant "beat it," so that should be a challenge to other lodges.

"Drat it," exclaimed the Swarmi as he started writing, "my notes have grown cold. Notes, not nose."

B. K. Saul, Postoffice Department, writes: "This is a story of an actual occurrence, and will be readily recognized by many Postoffice Department employes:"

"The Good Samaritan of the Postoffice Department;" or
"The Gentleman from Georgia."

THIS is a story of a Good Samaritan, a former employe of the Postoffice Department. He will be known as the "Gentleman from Georgia."

One cold wintry night while walking through one of the city parks he saw a poor, forlorn wretch huddled in a corner of a bench. Thinking he might be sick or overcome by the cold, our Good Samaritan inquired if he were sick. The answer was, "No, but I am cold, without an overcoat." After again looking at the man, he found he was a former college friend, a man of brilliant intellect, but whose fondness for the flowing bowl precluded his steady employment. Invited by the Good Samaritan to share his bed and room for the night, the offer was gratefully accepted.

Upon awakening at 7 o'clock next morning, our Good Samaritan was surprised to find no trace of his former friend. He was still further surprised, if not shocked, to discover that a valuable watch and his pay envelope with his pay for the half month was no longer under the pillow, where he had carefully placed them.

Loath to believe that his watch and money had been stolen by his friend, but being desirous of recovering the watch for the reason that it was an heirloom, he finally decided to report the matter to the police.

Two days later he received word that the watch had been located and also the man who took it.

The following day, when congratulating the "Gentleman from Georgia" on his good fortune in recovering his watch, he showed me a letter addressed to the police judge, requesting that no punishment be given his friend for taking his watch and money, as he was convinced they were taken through mental aberration, and would eventually have been returned to him.

Talk about the gift of the silver candlesticks to the burglar, Jean Valjean, by the bishop from whom they had been stolen, in Victor Hugo's immortal "Les Miserables!" Well, the action of the "Gentleman from Georgia" in the instance cited is a close parallel.

P. S.—It may be stated that when his friend died, the "Gentleman from Georgia" notified the representative of the district of his friend, who sent the remains at his personal expense to the former residence of the deceased. These actions of the "Gentleman from Georgia" and of the deceased's representative are in striking contrast to the sentiments expressed in the adage, "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn," and these lines are written in the hope that due credit will be given the memory of both.

It is possible now to read rare and very valuable books by motion pictures. A 35-millimeter film has just been received by Smithsonian from Geophysics Institute, Prague, illustrating the application of using motion picture film to photograph books of such kind. The reader reads them by having the film projected.

Date worth remembering: Dec. 23, 1783 — Washington resigned his commission to Congress at Annapolis.

Who is that principal clerk of Q. M. G. O., War Department, who wears a Gruen wrist watch (let's see if Gruen has an ad for the holidays) to please the girl friend, but who lives and votes, mind you, from Waltham (has Waltham an ad?), Mass. Ralph D. Cleverly, are you present?

M. W. Stirling, chief of the bureau, and Dr. J. R. Swanton, Dr. W. D. Strong and W. M. Walker, of the bureau, Smithsonian staff, took part in the conference on Southern prehistory, at Birmingham, Ala., December, 1921. A paper was read by each on some phase of the problems of the Southwestern United States. Before going to Birmingham, Dr. Swanton spent a few days in Louisiana, where he examined some material recently discovered by one of the local workers in the field.

W. N. Crymes, vice president, Dynamite Bowling League, reminds us that members of the league are not confined to the Prohibition Bureau and that his men are employed in the Treasury Department also, as well as employes in the Bureau of Customs, Bureau of Internal Revenue, Bureau of Narcotics and Bureau of Industrial Alcohol—all Treasury.

Thirteen Washington locals, District of Columbia Federation of Federal Employes Union, delegates have been authorized to arrange a banquet at the Willard Wednesday, January 11. Mrs. Rebekah K. Pedigo, entertainment chairman, and delegate from War Department Local, will increase the number on her committee for the occasion.

The banquet will close the executive council sessions, N. F. F. E., during the week of January 9, when important announcements relative to Federal employes' welfare probably will be made. Members of the executive council are Luther C. Stewart, president; Miss Gertrude M. McNally, secretary-treasurer; John Fitzgerald, Lee R. Whitney, Charles L. Wiegand, John P. Thompson, Dr. Walter P. Taylor, John W. Ross, Ulrey J. Biller, William H. Rapsher, and George L. Evans, all vice presidents.

COMEDY OF THE COMPACT.

"RECENTLY," said Miss Mabel C. Latimer, Treasury Department, "I sang for a club function, giving my services gratis, and on the evening of the day I sang a package was delivered at my door—a beautiful black enamel compact, the large new-style kind—I am not sure but I believe they call them flapjacks or something like that; it was as big as a flapjack, anyway.

Miss Latimer.

"In the course of the next two days a friend of my sister sent her a Christmas present (a little early to be sure, but last year this same lady's gift went astray). However, my sister was informed there was a gift coming to her from a local jeweler and she was not to open it. This compact came from the same place and was addressed to me, but no card attached.

"I thought, of course, it came from one of the girls as a little token of appreciation, but in the meantime we began to wonder if it was really meant for me, and finally called the lady and had to ask what it was she had sent, and it proved to be a black enamel compact. When told about it, she was distressed to think she had left out the card, and that my sister had seen her gift. It certainly had us all guessing, but more especially me, and considerably disappointed when I found that it was not intended for me, after all."

Swarmi Fedd moves his crystal sphere into the rays from the Lighthouse Division, and here's the news from that sector:

Glen R. Warner and Helen Richman, same division, will take the leap together tomorrow. And Swarmi even knows where the ceremony will be performed.

R. A. Martino, division of specifications, Standards, will spend time around Christmas in the home of clocks, Waterbury, Conn. Then to Boston to see friends.

Something useful and ornamental, Mr. Claus, for Irma Kuhnert, secretary to Louis Domeratsky, regional information, Commerce. We suggest a wrist watch. She has no office clock. And if you've seen her come to the door from "time to time," it's to learn the time.

Hereafter, Mondays the Federal Diary will contain stamp collectors' news for Government workers and the general public.

We learn from Standards that Dr. Spencer Reed, division of specifications, will spend Christmas at home, Toughkenamon, Pa., and that Grace C. Neidig, test clerk, will be her sister's guest in Reading, Pa. Also that F. W. Popp, electrochemistry section, will be in Center Square, Pa., his home.

Too bad when we call Commerce we can't see those smiling countenances and pleasing dispositions displayed by the young women serving under direction of Fred A. Gosnell, Census Bureau's division of publications. But they're there and the voices suggest "It's a pleasure to have served you."

Party Is Planned By Sixth Marines

Children to Get Candy and Gifts; Supper to Be Served.

Children of officers and men of the Sixth Marine Reserve Brigade will be tendered a Christmas party this evening at the unit's armory, John Marshall place and Indiana avenue northwest.

Gifts will be provided for each of the "kiddies" and Charles Guyon, Eastern High School football coach and a member of the brigade, will do the Santa Claus honors.

A "ration" of candy will be issued each child and supper will be served around a 20-foot Christmas tree. Entertainment will be provided and the Brigade Band, directed by First Lieut. Leon Brusiloff, will render music.

FIRE RECORD.

12:26 a. m.—1209 to 1211 Pennsylvania avenue northwest: fifth floor.
1:33 a. m.—411 Four-and-a-half street southwest: furnace.
1:43 a. m.—First and U streets southwest: contractor's office.
2:41 a. m.—Morgan and Kirby streets northwest: false.
2:52 a. m.—Sixth and N streets northwest: false.
5:04 a. m.—Fifth and P streets northwest: false.
7:24 a. m.—1603 Nineteenth street northwest: flue.
8:00 a. m.—1341 Girard street northwest: room.
8:32 a. m.—1005 Twenty-fourth street northwest: furniture.
8:55 a. m.—7616 Thirteenth street northwest: garage.
10:32 a. m.—3501 Georgia avenue northwest: furnace.
1:43 p. m.—1107 Good Hope road southeast: grease.
3:42 p. m.—3020 K street northwest: automobile.
8:16 p. m.—1448 Minnesota avenue southeast: chimney.
11:48 p. m.—1229 Crittendon street northwest: gas pipe.

$25 AWARD CLOSES BODY SELLING CASE

Court Allows Lawyers Fee for Work in Suit to Recover Corpse.

Special to The Washington Post.

Luray, Va., Dec. 22.—The law has just enacted the closing scenes of Madison County's corpse-selling case, in which "Ras" Nichols was the defendant in a $5,000 damage suit for selling his brother's body.

Some time ago Arnold Nichols was taken to the University Hospital, Charlottesville, for some baffling disease. Mr. Nichols died soon after arriving at the hospital. His brother, "Ras" Nichols, went to the hospital to bring the body to the Nichols homestead in Madison County. Instead of doing this he is alleged to have sold the body to hospital authorities for $50. As Nichols' death was due to some unknown cause the authorities wanted the body for dissection, believing that it would be for the advancement of medical science.

When Mr. Nichols returned home he told his brother's widow what disposition he had made of the body. Mrs. Nichols at once had a Madison law firm to institute suit for $5,000 against her brother-in-law, "Ras" Nichols. She also made demand of the hospital for the return of her husband's body. This the hospital did, though an autopsy had already been held.

About this time, for some reason, Mrs. Nichols decided she would withdraw her $5,000 suit, but instead of notifying the law firm of her purpose she wrote A. H. Cave, clerk of the Madison County court, that the suit "was off."

When the law firm took Mrs. Nichols' case it was upon a fee of $250. The law firm then brought suit against Mrs. Nichols for violating her contract, demanding that the work that had already been done in preparing for the suit represented that amount.

Justice W. C. Collins has awarded the law firm $25 for its trouble in getting all the facts and preparing for the $5,000 suit against Mrs. Nichols' brother-in-law.

Howard U. to Get Portrait of Miller

Alumni to Present Oil Painting of Dean on Charter Day.

The general alumni of Howard University, through a national committee, has sponsored a movement to present on Charter Day, March 2, an oil painting portrait of Dean Kelly Miller to the university as the first to be hung in a hall of fame which the alumni expect to establish there. The painting will be one of eight portraits of distinguished educators to be presented to various institutions by their alumni.

It has been completed by Bernhard Godwin, international portrait artist. A memorial volume will be published at the time of the presentation containing names of alumni who join in the movement through popular subscription. The cost of the portrait will be $2,500. The committee in charge consists of Alma J. Scott, James T. W. Granady, Wilbur C. Gordon, T. Gillis Nutter, J. B. Stubbs, Priscilla Tyler, Vashti T. Murphy, S. L. Catlett, W. Justin Carter G. E. Bell, Clayborne George and Juanita Howard.

Dean Miller is a native of Winnsboro, S. C. He graduated from Howard University in the class of 1886, and did graduate work in mathematics and physics at Johns Hopkins. He taught mathematics at Howard, as well as sociology, and succeeded Dr. Fred Fairfield as dean of the college of arts and sciences. His sociological treatises have been used as texts in various institutions.

FOREIGN NEWS IN BRIEF

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Capt. J. A. Mollison, the long-distance flier, will start from England on February 7 for a flight to Rio de Janeiro by way of Africa, it was announced today. Capt. Mollison and his wife, Amy Johnson, are now in France on a belated wedding trip.

Versailles, France, Dec. 22 (A.P.). Guy Davin, 26-year-old Frenchman, was found guilty today of the murder last December of Richard Wall, a former resident of New York, and sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor.

Bucharest, Roumania, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The Dowager Queen Marie is going to Belgrade on Sunday to spend Christmas and New Year's Day with her daughter, Queen Marie of Jugoslavia. King Carol and Crown Prince Michael will go to Sinaia tomorrow for the holidays.

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Prince George, youngest son of the king, was confined to his bed today suffering from a cold.

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 22 (A.P.). A protest against the American-owned Matson Shipping Line, of San Francisco, being allowed to trade between the Fiji Island and New Zealand and Australia was lodged today by the Australian Maritime Unions with the minister of commerce.

London, Ontario, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—John Cameron Stevenson, prominent in northern Ontario mining ventures and successful oil operator in the Oklahoma and Texas fields, is dead in Texas of pneumonia, friends here were advised today. Stevenson, who was vice president of the Leplant-Porcupine Mines, had intended coming to Canada at Christmas time. Burial will be at Arnprior, Ontario.

Perpignan, France, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The flooded area in the Department of Pyrenees, Orientales, where unusually heavy rains have been falling has reached 50,000 hectares, or one-eighth of the entire department, a prefefecture statement said today. Damage is heavier than during the floods of 1930 and government aid has been requested.

Berlin, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Friedrich von Keller, former minister to Argentina, today was appointed Germany's permanent commissioner to the League of Nations, thus becoming a member of the German delegation to the disarmament conference.

Moscow, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Dmitry Kourshy, who only two months ago was recalled at this own request as ambassador to Italy after four years in that post, died today at Kremlin Hospital of blood poisoning. He was 68.

White House

Nebraska Man, Wife and 11 Children Get Invitation From Roosevelts.

Waterloo, Nebr., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Snowed under by a flood of Christmas greetings, Gus Sumnick has separated from his large pile of mail a formal invitation to visit President-elect Roosevelt and his wife at the White House.

Sumnick, on whose farm near here the Roosevelt campaign party visited last September, has received this letter from the executive mansion at Albany.

"My dear Mr. Sumnick:

"It was great to have a word of greeting from the Sumnick family and I thank you for your telegram of congratulation and your good wishes for the future.

"You know we are counting on seeing you all in Washington after we move there and get settled in the White House.

"With cordial personal regards to you all.

"Yours very sincerely,

"FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT."

"It all depends on conditions," said Gus today, "but we'll make that trip as soon as possible—maybe after harvest time."

By "we," Sumnick referred to his wife, himself and their eleven children, all of whom are planning on making the White House excursion.

Photographers Honor Andrew J. May, Jr.

Andrew J. May, jr., chief photographer for Harris & Ewing, has been elected president of the White House News Photographers Association, it was announced last night.

"Buck," as he is familiarly known, will assume duties as active head of all photographic arrangements during inaugural ceremonies for President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt. Mr. May served as president of the photographers' association in 1929, during President Hoover's inauguration.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES

Fayetteville, N. C., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Fire destroyed the plant of the Carolina Machine Co. here today. Damage was estimated at $10,000. There was no insurance.

Aiken, S. C., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Postal officials issued a warning today against cashing postal orders bearing the serial numbers 24001 to 25000, which, they said, were stolen from the Vauclause Postoffice Tuesday night.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Frank B. Kellogg, former Secretary of State, passed his seventy-sixth birthday in New York today. Accompanied by Mrs. Kellogg, he is here on business. They will leave tomorrow and expect to arrive in St. Paul Christmas morning.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Announcement was made today that the Wilmington Evening Journal and Wilmington Every Evening will be consolidated, effective January 2. The consolidated paper will be issued from the Every Evening Building, erected four years ago. It will be published under the name of "The Evening Journal and Every Evening," by the News-Journal Co., successor in the case of the Every Evening to the Every Evening Printing Co.

Wilson, N. C., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Rodney Eatman, 28-year-old Wilson County farmer, killed his wife and two small children with an ax and then killed himself with a shotgun, early today.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Sheriff J. Lawrence Brown was handed capiases today and instructed to arrest Luke Lea, Tennessee publisher, and his son, Luke Lea, jr., for their conviction of fraud in connection with the failure of the Central Bank & Trust Co. of Asheville. Neither of the Leas is in this State. They are expected to fight extradition.

Oklahoma City, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Three strikes isn't out—gubernatorially speaking—so Adabelle Simond, Checotah school girl, can stop worrying about anybody giving Oklahoma back to the Indians. In an informal reply, Attorney General J. Berry King today advised Adabelle there is no law providing that the State shall revert to territorial government in case of the impeachment of three governors. (Two governors already have been removed by impeachment.)

Salina, Kans., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Alleging he was fraudulently wooed into marriage by his wife, who, he said, produced the license after taking him to the movies to see some torrid love scenes, David O. Swenson, 50, prosperous farmer, asks a divorce and $5,955 damages. The wife previously had sued for divorce and Swenson filed a cross petition.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A change of venue in the Scottsboro case, bringing the trial of the seven Negroes to Birmingham, will be requested, defense attorneys announced today.

Snake Too Short, Woman Sues.

Los Angeles, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The length of a python was the cause of a suit filed today by Mrs. Eugenia Clark against the Altadena Zoological Arena. Mrs. Clark said she agreed to buy a 22-foot python for $400, but when the reptile arrived in Tuscaloosa, Ala., it was only 15 feet long, afflicted with blindness and generally unhealthy. She asked the returne of her $400.

For an alert, responsive field, use Post Classified Ads for service, rentals or sales.

MIDSHIPMEN SING CHRISTMAS TUNES

320 of 1,700 to Remain at Annapolis Because of Lapses and Distance.

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 22.—The regiment of more than 1,700 midshipmen assembled about a brilliantly illuminated pine tree in front of Bancroft Hall tonight and participated in singing Christmas carols, in line with a custom of many years' standing. Prof. Joseph W. Crosley, organist and choirmaster of the academy, presided at the organ.

Naval officers and civilian instructors assigned to the station, and residents of Annapolis to the number of several hundred gathered for the celebration, which was a prelude to the annual Yuletide banquet of turkey and all garnishings, served in the mess hall, as well as the Christmas holidays, which begin tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'colck and will extend until evening roll call, January 2.

A total of 320 midshipmen will not avail themselves of the holiday to the extent of going home, 193 by reason of deficiencies in scholastic work or conduct for the first half term just closed, and 127 who voluntarily remained at the academy. Most of the latter group are those whose homes are in such distant States that travel would consume practically all the leave period.

The third class contains the largest number of delinquents, 83. The senior class is second with 44; the fourth class has 39, and the second 27. A large number has made airline reservations in order to curtail travel time.

The holiday recess for St. John's College and public schools of Anne Arundel County, began today, to continue until January 3.

Engagement Confirmed By Marilyn Miller

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Marilyn Miller, musical comedy star, and Don Alvarado, screen actor, returned from England today on the Europa saying, "We're engaged, all right, but we've made no plans as yet for our marriage."

Miss Miller and Alvarado were members of a farewell party who overstayed their time and were carried to sea aboard the Bremen. Alvarado was listed on the Europa as "Joseph Page." This, he explained, is his real name. Miss Miller was listed as "Marilyn Pickford." She was at one time the wife of Jack Pickford.

NATION-WIDE BUS SYSTEM

Wishes You a Very Merry Xmas and a Prosperous New Year and Extends to You a Cordial Invitation to Visit Their

NEW BUS TERMINAL

Centrally Located at

633 F ST. N.W.

opposite

THE HECHT CO.

SPECIAL LOW RATES

Are Now in Effect to ALL Points in U. S. and Canada . . . returning Good Until January 15th, 1933. Ask for Excursion Rates to YOUR Home.

CAPITAL BUS TERMINAL, Inc.

633 F St. N.W.—Phone

DISTRICT 4224

or

THE HECHT CO.

Information Booth Main Floor

Short Line System

NATION-WIDE

POST WANT ADS PAY

Fewer Colds, less severe colds for you this winter with Vicks Plan for better Control-of-Colds.

VICKS Nose & Throat DROPS use VICKS VAPORUB

To PREVENT many Colds — To end a Cold SOONER

Collier Inn

18th and Columbia Rd.

Announces

From Today till Jan. 3, 1933

Our Famous:

Mince Pie
Pumpkin Pie
Orange Cream Pie
Lemon Cream Pie
English Plum Pudding
Per pound
Fruit Cake
(Light or Dark)
Per pound

50c

Our Own Make Ice Cream
Egg Nog Xmas Pudding
Nesserode Pudding
90c per qt., delivered
Xmas Moulds, $2.50 doz.

Let Us Roast Your Xmas Turkey
Call Us for Estimate
WE DELIVER
Col. 5042-5072

OUR SPECIAL TONIGHT
Friesaee of Chicken and Dumplings or Lobster a la Newburg
Dinner—50c.
Served at all 3 places
18th & Columbia Rd., 15th & F Sts. and 1331 K st. N.W.

GIFTS BECKERS GIFTS

First Aid to Late Shoppers

Suggestions for Her

Imported Gloves	$1.95 to $10.00
Costume Jewelry	$1.00 to $25.00
Silk Umbrellas	$1.95 to $15.00
Costume Handbags	$1.95 to $85.00
Fitted Cases	$9.95 to $350.00
Wardrobe Cases	$7.50 to $50.00
Cigarette Cases	$1.00 to $15.00
Lamps	$1.00 to $25.00
Game Sets	$1.00 to $75.00
Cocktail Sets	$2.95 to $35.00
Dresser Sets	$4.95 to $40.00

Suggestions for Him

Men's Gloves	$1.95 to $10.00
Men's Wallets	$1.00 to $20.00
Kaywoodie Pipes	$3.50
Dressing Cases	$5.00 to $50.00
Brief Cases	$2.95 to $35.00
Cigarette Cases	$1.00 to $10.00
Hickok Belt Sets	$2.00 to $15.00
Gladstone Bags	$9.95 to $50.00
Zipper Bags	$2.95 to $25.00
Humidors	$2.95 to $50.00
Beverage Sets	$2.95 to $45.00

Bring This List Along

1314 F STREET N.W.

MISTRIAL IS RESULT IN QUARRY MURDER

Jury, in Dual Ohio Slaying, Held 10-2 for Conviction of Truesdale.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The jury which tried Loren Truesdale, 23, on a charge of killing his brother, Earl, 20, and Miss Thelma Woods, 17, was discharged late today by Judge E. E. Everett after the nine men and three women failed to reach a verdict.

The jury had deliberated since 6 p. m. Tuesday and was unofficially reported as standing ten to two for conviction. It had advised Judge Everett at noon it was unable to agree and was sent back for a few hours further deliberation.

Judge Everett set January 30 as the date for a new trial. Prosecutor E. M. Botkin said that he might seek a change of venue to Wapakoneta, Auglaize County.

The State charged Truesdale with killing his brother because Earl "was always taking my girls." Miss Woods was killed, the prosecution said, because Loren feared she would reveal the crime.

Truesdale denied the slayings, asserting he sat in a stalled automobile 10 miles from the scene when the killings supposedly were committed on the night of May 30, 1931.

The bodies of the couple, bound and beaten, were found in an abandoned quarry near here, several days later. Several persons were arrested for investigation and several "confessed," only to be released when officials decided the "confessions" were fanciful.

Truesdale was arrested September 1. Less than twelve hours later authorities announced he had confessed. He later repudiated the statement and declared from the witness stand that it had been obtained under duress.

Government Units To Pay Off Early

Some Groups Will Get Money Friday Before New Year's.

A probability loomed yesterday that Government workers will receive their pay for the second half of December before the New Year holiday. Under an executive order of President Hoover, Saturday, December 31, which would ordinarily be pay day, is a holiday.

The Treasury Department and several other Government establishments already have arranged to pay off Friday, thus eliminating the possibility of a wait until Tuesday, January 3. Monday also is an off-duty day.

Department of Justice and the Veterans' Administration are other Government units to fall in with early pay-off plan and others are expected to fall in line.

Cosmopolitans Give Baskets to Needy

P. A. Davis, chairman of the welfare committee of the Cosmopolitan Club, yesterday superintended the distribution of 100 bushel baskets, each filled with a week's supply or more of groceries to needy families throughout the city. Distribution was handled by Les Powell.

At the luncheon yesterday at the Carlton Hotel Mr. Davis explained that the committee had obtained names from two police precincts which are distributing baskets and toys this year, and that the 100 names had been personally investigated by members of his committee and cleared through the Social Service Exchange so that the gifts were not duplicated. The baskets, together with a large assortment of toys donated by members of the club, were brought to the Carlton yesterday and distribution started from there. There were also a number of cash donations.

Christmas Play Is Given At Miner Normal School

Hilda Lawson's prize Yuletide collegiate play, "The Toy Shoppe," was presented last night in the auditorium of the Miner Teachers College by a cast composed of a half-hundred members of the Social Service Club, sponsored by Mrs. Gertrude Woodard, faculty representative.

Elforth Reid staged the play. Juanita Jones, Florita Roy and Eunice Shaed directed the dances. Consuelo Jones was prestidigitator, while Jack Harlan proved a hit as Santa Claus. Of exceptional merit were the doll dances by Juanita Jones as "Pierretto" and Helen Alston as "Bubbles." The play, one of six written by members of the club, was presented to augment its Christmas charity fund.

Alanson B. Houghton Will Build Residence

An application for a permit to erect a large two-story brick residence for Alanson B. Houghton, former Ambassador to Great Britain and Germany, was filed with the office of District Building Inspector Oehmann yesterday, together with plans for the dwelling, which will contain 27 rooms.

Frederick H. Brooke is the architect and Hollister A. McQuary is listed as the builder of the house, the estimated cost of which is given as $49,000. The home is to be located at 3001 Massachusetts avenue on a lot having a 260-foot frontage on Massachusetts avenue and 221 feet on Thirtieth street northwest.

Holmes to Talk On England.

How the Englishman of today lives, his work, his play, his industrial districts and his rural regions will be shown and described in "A Visit to Old England," an address to be delivered tonight before members of the National Geographic Society at the Washington Auditorium by Burton Holmes. The talk will be illustrated by motion pictures and colored lantern slides.

Hyattsville Man Bruised in Crash.

Frank Cowell, 21, of Hyattsville, suffered severe cuts and bruises when his automobile was struck by the car of Rubin Toliver, 49, colored, Fairmont Heights, Md., at Thirteenth and R streets northwest. He was treated at Garfield Hospital.

Man Found Dead From Gas.

With five jets and the hot-water heater flowing gas, Samuel Frazier, 75, was found dead last night in his home at 3129 Maple View place southeast. He was pronounced dead by Dr. S. T. Lyles, who accompanied the Casualty Hospital ambulance.

Fish Feast

Jobless Make Big Hauls of Carp in River Acid-Polluted.

Youngstown, Ohio, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Food for Christmas came to Youngstown's unemployed today when a large school of carp found its way down the acid-polluted waters of the Mahoning River and the fish were taken out by the hundreds.

Unable to get sufficient oxygen from the waters tainted by the steel mills, the fish poked their noses above the surface in hordes.

Scores of unemployed men and boys lined the banks of the river for a mile, wading to their hips in the icy water and using boats to haul in the carp. They used clubs, hatchets, rifles, large hooks attached to poles and other improvised instruments of slaughter to stun and kill the fish.

Wives and daughters stood on a railroad trestle directing the "fishermen" to points where they saw carp coming up for air.

Ray Lawrence, president of the League of Ohio Sportsmen, said that the fish really were "drowning" because of the lack of oxygen in the water. He said the carp have been working down stream for a year and a half since the Newton Steel Co's were closed at Warren.

The carp weighed from 3 to 8 pounds. Some families caught as many as 20.

Church of Assumption Bids to Be Opened

January 9 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon have been set as the date and time for the opening of bids on the projected Church of the Assumption to be erected in the 3400 block of Nichols avenue southeast. Donald S. Johnson, the architect, is calling for bids for the construction of the church, to be built of brick.

Among the bidders are Parkhill Construction Co., R. P. Whitty Co., Inc., Geary Johnson Co., A. L. Smith Co., Henry J. Connor, Henry B. Davis, C. Wohlgemuth, jr., Henry W. Cord, Inc., and W. E. Mooney Co., Inc.

Husband and Wife Sue Motorist in Auto Crash

Alfred D. Stebbins and his wife, Mrs. Ellen L. Stebbins, of 3445 Fourteenth street northwest, yesterday in the District Supreme Court filed suits totaling $15,000 against David Linker, 2800 Connecticut avenue northwest.

Mrs. Stebbins was a passenger in Linker's automobile last August, when, at Lanham, Md., it collided with another automobile. Through Attorney Alvin L. Newmyer, the wife asked for $10,000 for injuries, and her husband demanded $5,000 for the loss of his wife's services.

Representative Butler Is Reported Improved

Representative Robert R. Butler, of Oregon, Ill., who is seriously ill with pneumonia at Providence Hospital, was reported to be "a little improved" last night. Representative Butler has been in an unconscious condition since his admission to the hospital two weeks ago.

Representative John W. Flannagan, jr., of Virginia, was taken ill with influenza yesterday. His condition was not serious and he hopes to visit his home during the Christmas recess.

Mrs. D. B. Diamond Dies in Maryland

Was Prominent in Civic and Church Work in Gaithersburg Area.

Mrs. Gladys Wheeler Diamond, 40, wife of Douglas B. Diamond and sister-in-law of County Commissioner John B. Diamond, died yesterday at Zoar, the family estate, near Gaithersburg, Md.

Born in Montclair, N. J., Mrs. Diamond was the daughter of Frederick Wilmer and Florence Wheeler. She was well known in Montgomery County, having taken an active part in civic and religious work.

She is survived by her husband and three children, Nancy, Craig and Frederick, jr. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock from the St. Rose Catholic Church at Clopper, Md.

MRS. JULIA MORRIS RITES.

Funeral to Be at 10 o'Clock Tomorrow Morning From Residence.

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Francis Morris, 83 years old, mother-in-law of Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, of the Washington Police Department, who died Wednesday night after an illness of three or four years, will be held at 10 a. m. tomorrow from the residence, 1419 R street northwest. Burial will be at Glenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Morris had been a lifelong resident of Washington. She is survived by one son, Dr. Walter Watts; a daughter, Mrs. Elsie Kelly, wife of Lieut. Kelly; a grandson, John K. Baker, also a member of the Police Department, and a granddaughter, Miss Francis Morris.

MRS. BRIGGS RITES TODAY.

Gaithersburg Resident Is Survived by Son and Four Daughters.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida Virginia Briggs, 77, who died at her home in Gaithersburg, Md., Wednesday, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church in Gaithersburg, with the Rev. Frank Tyler, pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in the Forest Oak Cemetery.

She is survived by a son, Frederick Briggs, of Gaithersburg; four daughters, Mrs. Marshall Walker and Mrs. Mamie V. Poebus, both of Gaithersburg, and Mrs. Maggie C. Duvall and Mrs. Lily Stewart, of Washington; a sister, Mrs. Catherine Briggs, of Gaithersburg, and a brother, Vincent Barrows, of Ohio.

Today's Happenings

Kiddies' party—Brightwood Commandery of Knights Templar, Brightwood Masonic Temple, 7 p. m.

Luncheon—Phi Delta Phi Fraternity University Club, 1 p. m.

Luncheon—Washington Round Table, University Club, 1 p. m.

Luncheon—Advertising Club, Raleigh Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Prayer service—Woman's National League for Law Enforcement, 1416 F street northwest, 12 noon.

TWO LOST AS STORM LASHES NORTHWEST

Captain Is Drowned on First Cruise Since He Was Promoted.

Seattle, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Storms roaring out of the north today beat down shipping and accounted for two dead in the Pacific Northwest.

Gales seamen estimated at from 52 to 90 miles an hour, moving in a southeasterly direction, were reported at various points.

Capt. J. A. Soderburg, of the Gulf-Pacific freighter Point Brava, was washed overboard off Cape Flattery by mountainous seas. He was on his first voyage as master of the ship.

Roland Girling drowned at Victoria, B. C., when struck by a flying piece of driftwood as he was trying to save a dinghy.

The lightship Umatilla, stationed at Umatilla reef on the Washington Coast, steamed to sea to prevent piling onto the reef, after she lost her anchor and cable.

The gale disrupted communications. More than 50 small craft were wrecked at Victoria and beach homes were razed.

The second high tide of the week forced the closing in Bellingham of the Bloedel Donovan Lumber Mill's cargo plant.

Removal of Army Post Is Protested

Texas Town Says It Will Be Crippled If Unit Is Withdrawn.

Marfa, Tex., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Col. William F. Austin, commanding the First Cavalry, U. S. A., stationed at Fort D. A. Russell, received orders late today from the War Department for the regiment to entrain for Camp Knox, Ky., January 2.

Marfa citizens heard the announcement of the removal order with misgiving, declaring the town would be crippled financially and socially by evacuation of the post.

Troops have been located here since 1911. When Camp Marfa was designated a fort in 1929 and renamed Fort D. A. Russell, the county voted a $500,000 bond issue for paving of 115 miles of highways. The city paved its streets and made many municipal improvements. Members of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars are seeking to have buildings at the port converted into a hospital for tubercular veterans.

Two Washington Men Injured in Miami Crash

Miami, Fla., Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Four winter visitors were injured late last night when Martin Haith, 23, Washington, lost control of the car he was driving and crashed into a tree. Haith, it was reported, turned his head to speak to some one on the rumble seat of the car.

The others injured were Herbert Benedetta, 22, also of Washington; Mrs. Constance Evans, 20, Toledo, Ohio, and Mrs. Mildred Fitzgerald, Los Angeles. The injuries were reported to be not serious.

How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS

INSOMNIA is not a disease; it is a habit. It is unnatural, acquired, and self-inflicted. It results from faulty training.

It is not a disease. Nor is it a subject for old-fashioned medicinal treatment.

We come into the world with a well-developed sleeping capacity and with a knowledge of the art of sleeping. For months we have slept continuously. The experiences of being born are somewhat startling and, in consequence, we awaken suddenly and explosively, but then we go back to sleep again. As time passes and experiences accumulate we learn how to keep awake.

Before we have passed from infancy into childhood we are able to stay awake half the time. Throughout childhood we, year by year, increase our ability to stay awake until finally we are able to stay more or less alert-minded for as much as twelve hours on a stretch, and the total of the waking hours is twice that of the sleeping hours. But that the sleeping state is the more natural any schoolboy can tell you, because of what he has noticed happens when he tries to study.

The progress noted refers to that of bright children. Idiots and imbeciles learn to stay awake much more slowly and some never become able to match their waking hours against those of sleeping. On the other hand, children who are being pushed educationally by holding the spot light and by too much association may get so far ahead of schedules as to be rated as poor sleepers.

Progress from the one phase to the other is dependent on training in alertness, tenseness, concentration and capacity for anticipation. The reverse of these is relaxation. Whenever a child or an adult is beginning to develop into what is, according to the prevailing standards, a poor sleeper the remedy for him is to backtrack—to slip down to the next preceding level. To put it less enigmatically, the thing to do is to learn physical, mental and emotional relaxation. Nor is this training or learning as difficult as it appears, since it is merely going back a little way and following the habits of that earlier period.

All the poor sleeper needs to do is to get his worries, jealousies, hates and bitter memories out of his mind. If he can not throw them out he may be able to dig in them and find some amusing angles to be laughed at—an excellent antidote for emotional disturbance. Or he may be able to cultivate indifference or fatalism—another excellent antidote.

It all comes back to this: The cure of poor sleeping and its next stage, insomnia, is to develop an ability to relax. When once in bed with lights out, if there are no noises, sleep inevitably follows relaxation.

There are two stories that are often added to the house called insomnia. One is insomniphobia. That is an abnormal fear of insomnia, a worry lest one will not sleep. If a person can not sleep and works himself up into a nervous state or a frenzy about it we speak of him as an insomniac—the second story sometimes added to the insomnia house. Both are emotional reactions. They are closely related to the emotional states that cause insomnia. They are curable by the same means—by training in relaxation and emotional control.

THE PARADINE CASE

By ROBERT HICHENS

SYNOPSIS.

Sir Malcolm Keane, K. C., is asked by Sir Simon Flaquer, a noted English solicitor, to defend Mrs. Paradine, who has been arrested for the murder of her husband, who had been blinded in the war and had been decorated with the V. C. Sir Simon tells Keane that Mrs. Paradine is a beautiful Dane, who had been rescued from a life of degradation in Copenhagen by an American diplomat, taken as a servant to America and later made her way to England. She'd married Maj. Paradine after the war. He agrees to handle the case and becomes immediately intensely interested in it.

Sir Malcolm is happily married to Gay, but when he calls on Mrs. Paradine at Holloway Jail he feels the strange fascination of his beautiful client. He is worried because Lord Horfield might be named as judge of the trial and endeavors to be friendly to him. He and Gay give a little dinner party to which they ask Lord and Lady Horfield. After the party Sir Malcolm studies a photograph of William Marsh, Col. Paradine's valet, and the idea occurs to him that the man who acted in so intimate a relation to his blind master might have had an opportunity to kill him. His plan of defense begins to take form in his mind.

Gay meets a Swedish painter, Baron Sedelsward, at the Flaquers' and he invites her to a private view of his paintings. Sir Malcolm decides to go to the exhibition when he learns that Sedelsward was acquainted with Mrs. Paradine. He asks the painter to dine with him that night.

Judy Flaquer, Gay's friend, suspects that Sir Malcolm is neglecting Gay because of his abnormal interest in his client. Lady Horfield also warns Keane to "look out" for his wife.

"THAT seemed to me the suggestion underlying your words. Old hands in the law—compromising with conscience—not holding back because you're pursued by doubts. Now, wait a minute! Let us suppose something."

"Go on!"

"Let us suppose that I agree to this defense, go hand in hand with you. The trial comes on. Your prediction comes true. Mrs. Paradine is exonerated and set free."

"What more can we want than that?" exclaimed Keane with vehemence.

"One moment! suppose further that, owing to your, our efforts, William Marsh is arrested and charged with the murder, is brought to trial, condemned and hanged? And suppose all the time I didn't believe him guilty. D'you think I should be able to sleep after such a compromising with my conscience?"

After a pause, Keane said:

"I think you're splitting hairs, Sir Simon."

"How so?"

"If such a trial took place it would be a fair trial. Don't you believe in English justice then—after all you've said to me about it?"

Sir Simon didn't miss this veiled illusion to Herfield, which was really in the nature of a taunt.

"If I can't agree to go on with this case in the way you are pressing on me, what then, Keane?"

"Is that an ultimatum?" Keane said.

"I want your answer to that."

"Really, Flaquer," said Keane, in the rather overbearing way which had several times put him wrong with the judges, "if I'm to make a success of a case I must be trusted. I must conduct it in my own way."

"But if I feel I can't stand for this defense?"

"D'you mean that you'd retire, that you'd decline to act any further for Mrs. Paradine?" said Keane, as if startled.

"Certainly not!" said Sir Simon sharply, secretly taken aback by this, probably quite innocent, turning of the tables upon him. "Do you suppose I would prejudice a woman's chance of life by such an action? Why she would be damned before ever the trial began! What could induce you to suppose——"

"Well, then, what do you mean?"

"Mean? Simply this, if I can't agree to your proposition, if I turn it down so far as I'm concerned, what then?"

Keane looked hard at Sir Simon for perhaps a full minute. Then he said in a hard, resonant voice:

"Whatever course you take, Flaquer, I shall not retire from this case. I've put my hand to it. I shall carry it through. And one way, or the other, I shall carry it through to success."

Sir Simon realized that Keane must have divined his half formed intention, though probably not its reason. Anyhow he now knew that there was nothing he could do to help Gay.

"Give me tonight to sleep on this matter," he said, with unusual brusquerie. "Tomorrow I'll give you an answer as to whether I can fall in with your views or not."

"Certainly. Mind this! I look upon it as our only chance. Think of the woman."

"I am thinking of—the woman," said Sir Simon, frowning. "And now I'll be off."

At the front door he bade Keane good-by with unusual coldness.

"He's put out because I tackled him fairly and squarely," thought Keane as as shut the door.

Without being aware of it he opened out his chest and thrust forward his chin.

"By God, I'll carry this through in spite of them all."

* * * *

At 10 o'clock on the following morning a messenger boy knocked on the front door of Malcolm Keane's house and delivered a letter marked immediate.

"A letter for you, sir, by messenger," said Baker, going into Keane's library. "It's urgent, sir."

Keane took the letter and recognized Sir Simon's neat and very small handwriting. Directly Baker was out of the room Keane opened the letter.

"Now then for it!" he murmered. "But I don't care what he writes. Whether he agrees or doesn't agree I don't retire from this case."

Dear Keane:

I have spent a good part of the night thinking over our conversations in my house and yours. Nearly all night I have been up pondering over your suggestions of yesterday, trying to look at the case from every angle, and to confront every possible danger that lurks for us in it.

As you certainly noticed yesterday, I felt a great reluctance to fall in with your views as to the new line you wish to take. On careful consideration—and trying to be strictly honest with myself—I believe this reluctance had its root in my fear lest any attempt to exonerate Mrs. Paradine at the expense of William Marsh might recoil on the defense, owing to the undoubted fact of Marsh's great devotion to the dead man, which, it seems to me, given the evidence which we expect, must carry great weight with a jury. Had you proposed a direct attack on Marsh with no extenuating circumstances I should, for the reason I have given, have felt obliged to oppose it. But the ingenuity of the suggestion you put forward—I'm alluding, of course, to the assisted suicide idea—has given me pause. And something else has given me pause, too: your great success in the past as counsel for the defense in many difficult cases. If it were not for that I doubt whether I could agree to risk the defense on which you are so obstinately set. I see its danger plainly.

Having all this in mind I have at last come to the conclusion that perhaps I ought not to oppose you. But I think it my duty to point out to you that the bottom will surely fall out of your defense unless Mrs. Paradine gives her evidence in such a way as to back it up. Can you absolutely rely upon this? If her evidence would not tend to back up your theory then I am inclined to think we should do better to keep her out of the box altogether. On the other hand, if possible, I should, of course, wish to put her in the box, as her personality might weigh with the jury, and I feel sure that whatever evidence she did give would be well given, and that she would be very difficult to shake in cross-examination.

Forgive me for saying that I'm still inclined to wonder whether you have altogether grasped the complexity of our client. She is, I am certain, no ordinary woman. We had better see her together as soon as possible, or do you prefer first to see her alone and make sure that she will give the sort of evidence you will want? When you have thought the matter over let me know.

Yours very sincerely,
SIMON FLAQUER.

As Keane folded up this letter he smiled.

"He's had his try to get me to retire from the case, and I've forced him to give it up."

He had an ugly sensation of triumph.

He answered Sir Simon's letter later that day and wrote that he would see Mrs. Paradine again and make certain that she would not let the defense down in her evidence. It was, in his view, essential that she should go into the box. He was positive that no one could fight for her better than she could fight for herself. When he had seen her he and Sir Simon could have a quiet interview with her.

In the afternoon he again visited Holloway prison. He had to prepare Mrs. Paradine for the forthcoming interview when he would visit her in the company of Sir Simon.

When, on entering the cell, he saw her, he realized at once that since their last interview he had come to a different feeling toward her. He now looked upon her as an adherent who would, who must stand steadfastly with him against a combination. In this combination he counted Sir Simon, Judith Flaquer and his wife. Although Sir Simon had given in and would no doubt stick to his promise, Keane was still convinced that Sir Simon had quite seriously thought of trying to force him out of the case. For the first time in his life he saw Gay, not as lover, not as wife, but as opponent, as one trying to interfere with his life to its detriment, and to the detriment of another. The subtle division between them had developed into something more definite. Their wills were quite certainly in conflict. As he grasped Mrs. Paradine's hand he had a longing to tell her something of his feeling, to explain to her something of what had occurred. He wanted to say to her:

"You might have lost me as your defender. How would it have been then?"

He had now the absolute conviction that he was the only man living who could regain her freedom for her. And Sir Simon had been minded to prevent that effort. There could only be one reason for his conduct of the night before and Keane knew what it was. Gay was the reason. Gay hated his connection with the Paradine case. She had never said so. She had never even hinted at it. But he now felt that he had known that she hated it almost ever since he had accepted his brief from Sir Simon.

All this was in his mind as he greeted the prisoner.

"What is it?" she said, before he had spoken. "What's the matter?"

"Why should anything be the matter?"

"But it is. I see it in your eyes."

"I've had to put up a fight since I saw you," he answered grimly. "And I've got the best of it. There are people who don't quite understand me yet. But they will. They will."

"Had it something to do with me?" she asked, but not eagerly. Eagerness was, apparently, not natural for her.

"Remotely, I think it had. For the time being, you see, my life is——" he stopped, seeking a word that would not seem too dangerous. "——bound up with yours," he ended, with a sudden feeling of recklessness. "D'you realize that I'm living for you these days, and nights, too? Your case is my life."

"But what have they tried to do?" she said.

"Suppose——" he hesitated, but something drove him on, "——suppose they had tried to get me to give up your case?"

For the first time then he saw her startled, perhaps even terrified. She caught hold of his wrist and her fingers felt hard almost as steel.

"You would'nt do that? You wouldn't abandon me? But I can depend entirely on you. Sir Simon—he's nothing. He's clever, I know, but—compared with you he's nothing. Oh, I shan't let you give me up. No!"

There was a violent autocratic sound in her voice.

"Who has tried? There must be a woman in that!"

"Why should there be?" he said, startled in his turn.

"No man would do that unless he was pushed by a woman. It is not the men who take away women's chances when they are in trouble, it is always the women? Who is she?"

(Copyright, 1932.)
(To Be Continued.)

Interpreting the Mode

By DARE

Medium dark green woolen, touches of mustard yellow and hand stitching makes this ensemble for the jeune fille. (A New York Model.)

THE question of colored gloves has long since been answered by fashionable women—who took them up most unexpectedly. Blue gloves, dark red ones, dark and dry greens, even dull mauve gloves have been seen with chic shoes that match, or other accessories to carry on the color scheme. One flower design in a lovely crepe de chine of smoke color was worn with deep, rich red gloves that matched the flower. And will I ever live to see a lovelier outfit than the one of white with black flowers, fine little ones, scattered over it—here and there a grey flower that was matched by grey pearls—and grey taupe gloves.

The flare for Irish crochet gloves has not died; it has, with the last rose of summer, but folded its fingers to await another spring.

* * * *

Those ribbon scarfs I told you about yesterday—you know, narrow colored ribbons in many colors on a silk net background? Well, they are often matched by bracelets in many colors, composition, which adorn both wrists of the gay wearer. The new scarfs are not wide enough to crumple ungracefully around the neck, and many of them make a feature of being short and stubby at the ends—either square, or rounded, or pointed ends. And some brand-new scarfs are cut so short that they end exactly at the coat revere, and certainly look chic and distinctively tailored—and new.

* * * *

Well, it's a little late to ask for the leaflet about making Christmas boxes and wrapping Christmas gifts, but if you would like this for next year, send your stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Dare Department of the Washington Post for it just the same. And remember, right after Christmas I will welcome any suggestion you might have for leaflets you would like me to make for you.

* * * *

The young girl of today is best expressed by simple clothes—but not simple in the sense of plainness. The ensemble that I sketched today, for instance, is simple yet entirely elegant, with its hand stitching and its chic skirt cut. Green and mustard yellow—colors combined which are especially so good for the young girl.

Don't overlook the importance—nor the chic, not to mention the comfort—of the hand-knitted blouse-sweater. In your spare time, no matter how much of an amateur you might be, you can knit the most delightful things—after a few badly turned sleeves, that is! Learn how to knit in the first place from someone who knows how, because then you will always have the art—and profit thereby.

The hand-knitted sweater and beret is very delightful for the young girl, too—so give some thought after Christmas, will you?

* * * *

"If you would keep your firm contours, shun not co-o-o-old water!" Whether this be a cold shower after your bath, or better, a cold bath, try to accustom yourself to this after 20. No astringent on earth is quite so effective.

One lovely lady I know turns the cold water right into her hot bath, and lets it run until both the bath and she are quite, quite cold—summer or winter. But has she a figger!

Au Revoir!

(Copyright, 1932.)

A Last-Minute Hint
—to fathers, mothers, uncles, aunts

Give the little girl a big thrill Christmas morning with a glamorous EVENING WRAP—like the one sketched of black transparent white satin lined velvet with huge white sheared lapin collar

$25

Others $10.95, $16.50 and up in sizes 11 to 17.

JUNIOR DEB SHOP
FOURTH FLOOR

THE NEW Jelleff's
1216-1220 F STREET

How to Be Beautiful

By ELSIE PIERCE

FOR sisters, members of the immediate family, intimate friends and for limited purses, a gift of toilet preparations is at once glamorous and practical. Choose wisely and well. Bear in mind the individual's actual requirements. Buy the separate bottles and jars. Assemble them yourself and use your ingenuity in wrapping attractively. No need to pay for a handsome gift box or leather case if you can't afford them, for after all, its the contents, not the package that will do the good work.

Dry Skin and Cold Weather.

Are you selecting creams and lotions for a skin that is usuallly dry? Then choose a cream for cleansing, a mild skin tonic (not an astringent, for that is too strong and too drying), an emollient cream for soothing and supplying the skin to soften it when it becomes chapped or coarse after exposure, to keep it silky and lovely. And to give the skin a beautiful finish, as well as to protect it, choose one of the fluffy finishing creams. There you have the four important preparations for the dry skin and all that this type really needs. Add to that a very fine face powder, a cream rouge to harmonize with the coloring of the recipient, a lipstick of the same tone, a mascara and eye-shadow compact if you wish and you have a complete gift that will win you a year's blessings.

These preparations are suitable for the normal type of skin, too, during the cold weather, for cold blasts take away from the skin the natural oil and humidity that characterize the young, normal skin.

Oily Skin.

Some skins remain very oily through burning sun and winter winds. For this type, nourishing creams are unnecessary. Cream or soap for cleansing. An astringent is recommended here to dry out the excess oil and counteract a shiny nose. A liquid powder or finishing lotion to protect the skin, keep powder clingy and keep moisture and shine away. It's all so simple, isn't it, when you know what you're about and ask specifically for the right preparations to conform with the precise needs of the individual. A liquid or compact rouge for the oily skin, lipstick to harmonize, a slightly heavier powder, and eye make-up if it is used by the person to whom the gift is going. In the matter of make-up it is very important to know the personal preferences, for the brands and colors are endless.

Hand lotions, creams, jellies and whiteners are sorely needed this time of the year and since it is said that this is a practical Christmas, why not give hands beautifiers?

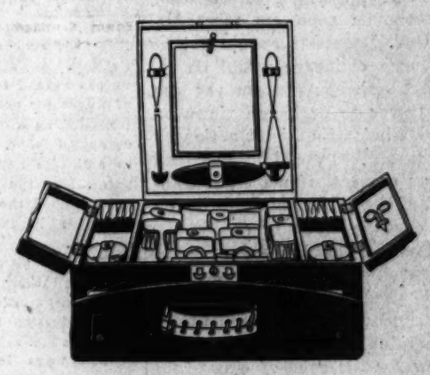
(Copyright, 1932.)

Pittsburg
Automatic Gas
WATER HEATERS
Storage or Instantaneous
NEW LOW PRICES
EDGAR MORRIS SALES CO.
1305 G St. N.W. National 1031

PETRO NOKOL
OIL BURNERS SAVE MONEY
Automatic Heating Corp.
1719 Conn. Ave. North 0627

Camalier & Buckley

Last Minute Gifts



for

Men and Women

Dressing Cases	*Fitted Cases*
Collar Bags	*Hand Bags*
Tie Cases	*Book Ends*
Hip Cases	*Traveling Clocks*
Flasks	*Photo Frames*
Shick Electric Razor	*Toilet and Make-Up Cases*
Dunhill Pipe	*Jewel Cases*
Button Boxes	*Brides Books*
Humidors	*Guests Books*
Modern Luggage	*Guests Books*

The finest—not the extravagant end of Leather Merchandise—is our aim.

Camalier & Buckley
Fine Leatherware

1141 CONNECTICUT AVENUE

2 doors above The Mayflower

REDUCED FARE
$1.00 ROUND TRIP
TO
BALTIMORE
Every Saturday and Sunday, good returning till last train Sunday night
W. B. & A. E. R. R.
12th St. and New York Ave. N.W.

The Washington Post.

THE WASHINGTON POST CO.
Washington, D. C.

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
The Washington Post is a member of the Associated Press, receiving the complete service of the world's greatest news-gathering organization.
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper, and also the local news published herein.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.
Delivered by Carrier in Washington.

Daily, Sunday included, one year	$8.40
Daily, Sunday excepted, one year	6.00
Sunday only, one year	2.60
Daily, Sunday included, one month	.70
Daily, Sunday excepted, one month	.50
Sunday only, one month (with four Sundays)	.20
Sunday only, one month (with five Sundays)	.25

BY MAIL, PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.
(Maryland and Virginia.)

Daily and Sunday.	Sunday Only.	Daily Only.
One year...$10.00	One year...$4.00	One year...$7.00
Six months.. 5.00	Six months.. 2.00	Six months.. 3.50
One month.. .85	One month.. .40	One month.. .60

ALL OTHER STATES.
(Mexico and Canada, Incl.)

Daily and Sunday.	Sunday Only.	Daily Only.
One year...$12.00	One year...$5.00	One year...$8.00
Six months.. 6.00	Six months.. 2.50	Six months.. 4.00
One month.. 1.00	One month.. .50	One month.. .75

All Subscriptions by Mail Payable in Advance.

New subscriptions for The Post or renewals will not be accepted unless payment accompanies the order. Remittance should be made by draft, checks, post-office orders, registered letters or express orders, payable to The Washington Post.

Entered at the Postoffice, Washington, D. C., as second-class mail matter.

National Advertising Representative—PAUL BLOCK and Associates, Park-Lexington Building, New York; Palmolive Building, Chicago; Little Building, Boston; General Motors Building, Detroit; Guaranty Trust Building, Philadelphia; Russ Building, San Francisco; 256 South Hill St., Los Angeles.

Friday, December 23, 1932.

NO AGREEMENT.

The impending change of administration prevents immediate negotiations with debtor governments or the development of any program which the United States might wish to follow as a member of the world economic conference. The telegrams exchanged between President Hoover and Gov. Roosevelt show that while both are alive to the desirability of hastening the process of world recovery by co-operation with other nations, they do not agree upon co-operation by the two administrations in selecting representatives to confer with foreign representatives.

President-elect Roosevelt bases his decision not to accept joint responsibility for naming negotiators on the ground that he will be lacking authority before March 4. He refrains from assuming responsibility even in the matter of preliminary explorations of the situation, although he will welcome all information and expressions of opinion resulting from such surveys. In reply to Mr. Hoover's suggestion that men like Owen D. Young or Col. House, or other Democrats possessing Gov. Roosevelt's complete confidence be named to prepare the machinery through which solutions of world economic problems might be found, Gov. Roosevelt suggests that men of such eminence would be regarded by foreign governments as possessing power to exchange views on policy. He notes that joint action by the two executives would be construed abroad as a moral if not legal commitment of the next administration on matters of policy.

The President-elect deems it more important to remain entirely free from any implication of commitment to proposals formulated before March 4 than to co-operate in naming representatives now for the sake of expediting the universal effort to restore world normalcy. President Hoover is more impressed by the dangers of delay, and his hope of finding some method of benefiting agriculture and employment doubtless caused him to minimize the political considerations involved in the change of administrations.

From a political point of view Gov. Roosevelt is adopting the prudent course. The inference may be drawn from his telegrams that an entirely new line of policy will be adopted in foreign relations, but this may be assuming too much. He wishes, however, to retain the right to adopt a new policy without subjecting himself to the charge that he had bound himself to carry on policies formulated by negotiators in whose selection he had a share. President Hoover cheerfully complies with his successor's wishes, and will deal with matters as they arise in a manner that will not impose any obligations upon the new administration.

Doubtless debtor governments which had hoped to begin immediate exploration of the debt problem will hesitate to go very far at this juncture, for fear that the effort to formulate a program will prejudice rather than promote their negotiations under the new President. But exchanges of views and information will be forthcoming in spite of the change in the United States Government, for the reason that crumbling currencies and paralyzed commerce are driving nations to desperate search for salvation.

Gov. Roosevelt can hardly set international negotiations in motion before April. The world economic conference apparently must be postponed if the United States is to participate. June 15, the date when the next debt installments will be due, may find the United States and its debtors lashing in any agreement whatever. In that case the debtors may be compelled to default.

THE TRACTION MERGER.

For a generation efforts have been made to effect an agreement that would combine under single control and operation Washington's two street railway companies. Yesterday, with merger legislation blocked in the Senate through differences of opinion, representatives of the companies, senators, the Utility Commission and public-spirited citizens met in a final conference in which disputed points were reconciled in a common understanding. The changes were promptly made in the resolution before the Senate and the authorization for the transit combination approved.

This is a consummation that Washington has desired for years. Credit in no small measure for the result must be given to the Citizens' Joint Transportation Committee. This week the committee initiated anew the conferences, which finally achieved what former years of effort had failed to secure—a voluntary agreement that is generally satisfactory.

The final points of difference centered about the power purchase clause and the indeterminate franchise proposal. The latter question was compromised by the reservation of future congressional amendment if found necessary.

The resolution providing for the merger is in the nature of a voluntary contract. If the stockholders of the Washington Electric and Railway Company and those of the Capital Traction Company ratify the agreement within six months the companies will be united in the Capital Transit Co. Under united control universal transfers will be issued, school children's fare will be retained at 3 cents, the new company is to acquire the Washington Rapid Transit Company bus lines, and the Utilities Commission will regulate transfers between cars and buses. Senators Capper and Blaine were successful in having accepted their demand that the commission regulate prices for power used by the consolidated system, which will be supplied by the Potomac Electric Power Co.

Since the House passed the merger resolution at the last session, there is every reason to believe the Senate changes will be agreed upon in conference, and that the congressional resolution will soon be ready for consideration by the companies. In view of the many previous failures to reach accord, the present negotiators deserve much credit for the successful issue of their labors. Government and company officials have cooperated with the citizens' committee whose patient and persistent efforts were so instrumental in bringing all interests together. Washington at last looks confidently toward an early consolidation of its traction lines.

WAGE DISPUTE SETTLED.

Once more the major railroads of the country and their employes have settled their differences through friendly negotiations. A year ago when the railway unions agreed to a 10 per cent reduction of wages for one year, the agreement was regarded as a milepost in the history of organized labor. It gave powerful impetus to amicable negotiation of all wage disputes. Now the railway brotherhoods have strengthened their tradition for successful collective bargaining without resort to coercion.

The new agreement between the railroads and their 1,000,000 employes calls for extension of the present 10 per cent wage reduction for another nine months. Employes had asked for another year at the present wage level. Railway executives had offered to extend the agreement for six months. Both groups made concessions to bring about the final agreement.

Another dispute centered on the restoration of the basic wage scales at the expiration of the agreement. Under the settlement finally accepted the old basic wage scale will become effective next November unless a new agreement has been arrived at before that date. But the carriers reserve the right to initiate proceedings under the railway labor act to change the basic rate of pay any time after June 15, 1933, if that becomes necessary.

The compromise seems to be equitable and practical. It does not make a final settlement of the railway wage problem, but it does more firmly establish amicable negotiations as the best means of solving these vital questions. The railroad managers and brotherhoods are setting an excellent precedent. They are leading the way in this new era of collective bargaining by force of logic, persuasion and compromise. The council table seems to have definitely taken the place of the strike rally as a means of securing fair treatment for labor.

RECONSTRUCTION LOANS.

Critics of the policies and acts of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation are often as illogical as those who propose to restore American prosperity by establishing the dole system. The non-partisan board directing the R. F. C. is amply able to justify and defend its own actions, but some of the criticism is so biased and short-sighted that its fallacies are apparent to the most casual reader.

It is puerile to attack the board for advancing funds to large banks and other great financial and industrial institutions in greater aggregate than to a given number of small concerns. A bank with 100,000 depositors may be saved by a loan when the same amount distributed among ten banks with but 1,000 depositors each would aid only one-tenth as many individuals.

It must also be taken into consideration that every large bank aided assures safety not only to its depositors and stockholders, but as a rule such institutions are carrying many smaller banks which would suffer if the major bank failed. While thousands of small banks have been given direct loans, the bald fact cannot be overlooked that there have been many others which were unworthy of support and which could not have been rescued except on the basis of outright charity.

The R. F. C. was not formed with the idea of taking over bankrupt and defunct institutions. Its operations are limited to legitimate commercial transactions. The banks securing loans are obliged to deposit adequate security and the advances made to them must be repaid with interest. Complaints lodged against the corporation because it has not been an eleemosynary institution are based on a misconception of its authority and intended functions.

Attempts to impugn the value of the work of the R. F. C. in the aid given to great industrial interests, such as railroads and enterprises employing many thousands of workers, can seldom be classed as sincere when they come from persons who are intelligent enough to know or readily secure the facts. Those who advocate the distribution of billions at the other end of the social scale as a remedy for the depression take little stock of economic law or the plain example furnished by other nations today.

The assistance extended to finance and industry by the R. F. C. has provided the vital margin of credit that has saved thousands of institutions and preserved employment for many times the number who might have been given temporary aid in the form of a cash dole.

DEPLETED INCOMES.

Results of the depression are nowhere more clearly written than in the annual statistical report of the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Its figures for the calendar year 1931 show that 1,000,000 individuals dropped out of the groups which are required by law to make income tax returns. The aggregate income of persons filing returns dropped from nearly $25,000,000,000 in 1929 to $13,000,000,000 in 1931.

The collapse of fortunes continued in 1932. On the basis of income tax returns for the last three years it is probable that the aggregate incomes of those who report to the Government next March will not exceed $9,000,000,000. Million dollar incomes are now almost a thing of the past. The heaviest blows seem to have fallen upon the largest incomes. It is doubtful whether the country has ever before witnessed such a melting-down of wealth.

Incomes in the lower brackets have not suffered so much. It is notable that in 1929 only 34 per cent of the income reported to the Bureau of Internal Revenue was distributed in the class of $5,000 per year or less. In 1930 41 per cent of the total income reported was in that class. In 1931 incomes below $5,000 made up 50 per cent of the total amount reported. Undoubtedly that same tendency continued in 1932.

The shrinkage of taxes has been even more drastic. In 1929 the Government collected nearly $1,000,000,000 from the income tax. Last year this tax yielded only $241,000,000. The incomes which formerly filled the Treasury to overflowing have disappeared. It would be useless, of course, to heap higher taxes upon nonexistent incomes and expect to balance the budget by that means.

Hard times strike the rich and the poor alike. While millions of workingmen have been losing their jobs, thousands of wealthy men have lost their fortunes. The depression thus becomes a great leveling influence. Wages have declined 10, 15, or perhaps 25 per cent in some cases. But large incomes have been cut in half, reduced by three-fourths, and in many cases completely wiped out. Every one suffers in periods of this kind, and the individual who has the most is likely to be the largest loser.

As France takes note of the Hoover-Roosevelt deadlock Premier Paul-Boncour announces that his government will conduct itself with extreme prudence in paying its debts.

If Washington can break the traction merger deadlock the nations certainly ought to be able to patch up their little economic differences.

Anyhow, there will be beer by yeaster.

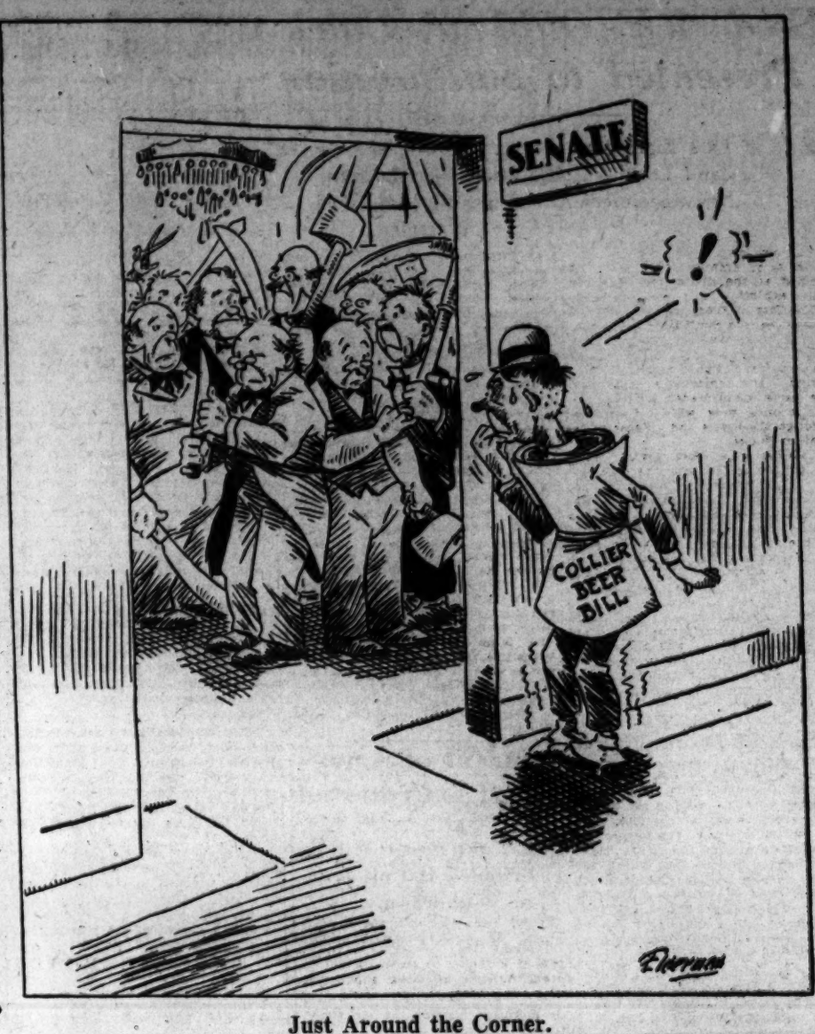
YULE SPIRIT AT WORK

From the Dodge City Globe.

The weeks before Christmas according to our new scheme of community entertainment have become the most interesting weeks of the year because of the pre-Christmas activities. Communities have learned that Christmas cheer is contagious and we have gone in whole-heartedly for Yule spectacles, Santa Claus parades, Christmas choruses, municipal trees, street lighting, home decorations and many other activities associated with the Christmas season.

This wholesome participation in the happiest season of the year is good for every one. Sure, times are hard, but why should those who have jobs and security groan, grumble and lament about these dark days? The average community once it begins reciting its financial losses, evaporated profits and depression year outlook, quickly turns into an association of grief that gets on the nerves of everybody and hampers any courageous attempts to make the best of everything. Some folks who should know better would have the flag at half mast all of the time and crepe on every door.

There'll be slim Christmases this year. But the gift dollar will buy more this year than it has since prewar days. The community spirit of giving a good time to thousands of boys and girls hasn't suffered. Every town certainly can work up enthusiasm for calling attention to the glad season of the world. We are in a mood for it. This year there has been more altruism actually at work than in a decade. The unfortunate will be looked after. The Christmas spirit is at work and thousands are finding it an outlet for their unselfishness. Every community should make this a memorable Christmas especially in the way of entertainment for the boys and girls, poor or rich, for whom it is the season of seasons.



Just Around the Corner.

POST HASTE.

The Senate may mount a sales tax rider on the beer bill to help it over the executive hurdle.

Railroad men are giving another fine example of hard time cooperation. Even the firemen decided they didn't have more pull than the engineers.

Paris now sees Roosevelt appointing Hoover to negotiate the debts. This is insight information.

Having beaten the calendar to winter, Washington weather will probably resume its resort temperature.

When the working week is cut to thirty hours better make it unlawful for those incomprehensible industrious ones to annex a couple of other jobs.

A correspondent suggests collecting odd bits of old gold for a charity fund. Haven't you a couple of loose fillings you could donate?

If you don't think a House party can get hilarious on beer you didn't attend the one that was thrown in Representative Hall.

Surplus Navy clothing is to be sold cheap. How do you look in bell-bottomed pants and white hatlet?

The optimists who thought the short lame-duck session might accomplish all the 73rd Congress was elected to do are beginning to be a bit doubtful about miracles next year.

The House was so unmercifully roasted last session over its pork bill that it even considers cutting real pork out of the allotment plan.

Congress will have to pass a special bill deciding whether stepchild District of Columbia will get her beer in tea rooms or growler shops.

France's action may not have made default respectable, but it takes the sting from small nations following suit, and who can say that private debtors will not be next in line? France started something.

In fact some of our more enterprising alarmists have been figuring up the total of American investments abroad, and to make a good story they say the whole $50,000,000,000 hangs in the balance during present debt negotiations.

The President-elect joins the game just long enough to restore the status quo ante. PAUL HUDSON.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

COURAGE.

Afraid to start anew?
That can't be true!
In a hospital today I heard
A sick man tell:
"I'll brave the world once more;
Tramping from door to door,
I'll peddle pins and needles,
Threads and wax,
When I get well."

Afraid to start again?
This from a bed of pain
A crippled body said to those
Who stood about:
"Let me but live and I
Life's troubles will defy;
I'll find some niche or corner
To toil in,
When I get out."

If the brave blind
Courage can find;
If the poor maimed and bent
Pray to live on,
Why should we, having health,
Mourn so the loss of wealth
And so dejectedly
Cry aloud,
"All hope is gone!"

(Copyright, 1932.)

You Can't Hook Fish in Your Pond If You Let Some Neighbor Use a Net

By ROBERT QUILLEN

IF you are capable of patriotism, now is the time to show it. Your country is in the midst of a world war, and your job depends on the outcome.

It is an economic war. It is a fight for bread and butter, in which each nation must think first of its own people and forget, if necessary, the welfare of others.

You are told that America can not collect war debts from other nations unless she buys their goods; that she can not sell her surplus abroad unless she buys enough foreign goods to balance the account.

That, in a measure, is true. But there is a joker in it, and the joker explains why other nations are eager to remove all trade barriers.

America is the richest market in the world. Her people buy and use more of many commodities than all other nations combined. Take any commodity in common use and you will find that America consumes from 60 to 90 per cent of the entire world's production.

Is it any wonder that other nations are eager to enter this market? As a matter of fact, they enter it now. And 60 per cent of all they ship to us comes in duty free.

You see the result of this competition in every breadline. Manufacturers in other lands, given the advantage of low wages and a debased currency, imitate American goods and offer them at a price far below the American cost of manufacture.

No wonder they plead for a free exchange of goods. We could not meet their prices in their own poverty-ridden market, and they could flood us with goods priced low enough to close every factory in America.

Should Americans refuse to buy imports? By no means. We are a rich land. We can afford to enjoy the world's luxuries—silk from Japan, coffee from Brazil, lemons from Italy.

But we are traitors to ourselves when we send abroad for articles produced at home.

This richest market is rich only when men have jobs. And they have jobs only when we buy the things they make.

Foreign markets won't help us if we gain them by losing the one here at home. It would be like trading dollars for pennies.

We must keep America's market for Americans. And that means refusing entry to a single five-cent article that threatens an American's job.

(Copyright, 1932.)

POLITICAL COMMENT

Best Road to Repeal.
Chicago Tribune.

Forthright constitutionalists are not in sympathy with any treatment of the eighteenth amendment except its unconditional repeal. From the standpoint of American principle and even from that of expediency in the long run this position is, in our opinion, unassailable. The eighteenth amendment is in fact a police ordinance which has no proper place in the fundamental law of the land, if, indeed, it has a place in any law which the science of free government would recognize.

However, as has been said, politics is the science of the second best, and it seems probable that even at the height of the reaction against the intolerable conditions brought about by the national prohibition experiment a sufficient minority of the States might refuse to ratify a straight and unqualified repeal. The problem for those who seek the earliest possible and most practicable relief from the prohibition blunder is therefore to formulate, if possible, a repeal which shall meet the fears or objections of moderates, who seek some formula for insuring the protection of dry States.

Sounds Real.
Louisville Courier-Journal.

Arkansas' Governor-elect told a Little Rock forum that the State must cut expenses, not levy any more taxes or borrow any more money. Uttered by a Governor-elect instead of a candidate, the program has an earnest ring.

Generous Debtor.
Cincinnati Enquirer.

Give France credit. She has shown quite a bit of self-restraint in not asking us to give her the money to pay the December installment.

Home Brewers' Yuletide.
Detroit Free Press.

Many will have beer by Christmas, but not by grace of action by Congress.

High-Hat Finance.
Dallas News.

Postmaster General Brown had to have a new official car to make room for his silk hat. High-hatting the deficit, as it were.

Congress and France.
Detroit News.

Inflammatory utterances by certain congressmens on the French defaults of the December war debts payments are no more than irresponsible seizures of an opportunity for anybody with a vote in our national legislature to get into print. It becomes a demonstration of congressional restraint and wisdom that, well nigh unanimously, the members of the House and Senate have waited before commenting on the French course.

On Second Thought.
Kansas City Star.

When new debt settlements are negotiated by the next administration, as they must be, England and Italy, of the larger debtors, will be in a particularly favorable position to make terms. They made their payments on December 15 as they had agreed to. This country appreciates their good faith.

France is in a different position. She has defaulted when she had the money to pay. The United States should insist on the payment that was due December 15 as a preliminary to any settlement. If she wants to continue before the world as the conspicuous exponent of international bad faith on treaties, in spite of the effect of this attitude on the treaties which France regards as essential to her welfare, of course she can do so.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Poets' League Appeals to President-Elect for Recognition of "Songsters of Life."

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The following letter has been sent to Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt:

"Due to the position that you are about to assume in our Nation, we wish to call your attention to a class of people whom our country has practically ignored, both socially and politically, in the past.

"The purpose of this league is to work for the social, economical and political interest of our contemporary poets, and we sincerely trust that at the close of your administration it may be said that Mr. Roosevelt was a friend of the poets.

"Primarily our purpose is to create a national poet laureateship, but our many other activities will be directed to furthering and sponsoring the recognition of contemporary poets. Certainly we owe something to these 'songsters of life' for what they contribute to our culture, civilization and happiness. Our objectives cover a broad scope and we feel that the fruits of our efforts will be felt in future generations, for when our goal has been attained we will have done more for the advancement of American poetry than has either been attempted or conceived in the history of our Nation.

"Politically, poets have played an important part in the early history of England, when the potentates were wise and practical enough to realize that the innate knowledge of human nature possessed by poets was a distinct and rare quality that could be used to the advantage of the nation.

"We sincerely trust that these 'unrecognized legislators of the world' may receive some consideration during your administration. (Signed) THE POET LAUREATE LEAGUE OF AMERICA, Carl Cave, Pres."

CARL CAVE.
Washington, D. C.

British Correspondent Thinks Wet Regime Would Make for Prosperity and Liberty.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: If you will publish the following, I think it will help the Americans in their vote, wet or dry. The sale of liquors, wines, beer, &c., is the biggest asset any country has for revenue. Not only revenue from sales, but the employment it finds. The day America goes wet, it will create employment for millions of people. It will bring in revenue that is essential. It will stop racketers, and if a pure wine and beer act is passed, it will stop liquid being sold that is detrimental to health. Providing beverages are not taxed above a normal rate it will be a big asset to the state.

I can't quite see the idea of teachers of religion being against the sale and consumption of the said beverage, because they are the best housed, the best paid and the most protected servants of the state. Not only do they take the very best of wine with their sacrament, and then bless the Lord for all good things, but they denounce the people who have to pay taxes to keep them in an exalted position, and at the same time stopping millions from getting employment, and also nourishment for the body. People who do consume don't go around and pray for others to consume. Then why do those that don't consume make such a fuss of the others? Every man has or should have a right to consume what he chooses.

Live and let live should be the motto. E. WELCH.
Astwood Bank, Worcs., Eng.

Parked Cars Interfere With Children's Right to Enjoy Reserved Street for Sleigh Riding.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: When any fraternal organization has a parade on a designated street, the street is cleared by the police hours in advance for the comfort of the participants, but here on Irving street northwest, a street designated to be roped off when there is any sleigh-riding for the enjoyment of all—particularly children—cars are allowed to park anywhere, becoming a serious menace. Today, when No. 10 Precinct was called at 5 p. m. to ascertain why the street was not roped off, the answer obtained was, "There are not adequate officers to take care of the situation."

Is the protection of our youth one of the minor accomplishments in this precinct? If we have not enough police, couldn't we have a few Marines or some other protection on the great occasion of a snow?

AGNES DOWNEY RICE.

Remember Your Friends at Christmas, and Help the World Along.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: What shall I give? is a question that perplexes many persons as Christmas approaches. However, it should not be difficult to decide what to give if one will but remember the event the giver commemorates—the natal day of the Prince of Peace, the Savior of the world. Let us give a token of love, of friendship or of human kindness; something, no matter how small, that will be expressive of our feelings. Let it be something that carries with it the spirit of the giver. How well I remember receiving one Christmas Eve, when my heart was heavy, a single red rose, and how it cheered me!

Just a knock at a friend's door on Christmas morning and a clasp of the hand will do this very thing. A growing plant does it. But most of all, the feeling that a friend is with you—"singing in the rain"—the personal revelation that, no matter what the occasion, a friend to be depended upon is near you. What a gift!

FLORENCE M. HOAGLAND.

YULE BENEFIT PARTY HELD AT ARLINGTON

County Welfare Board Sets $12,000 as Goal in Relief Drive.

ARLINGTON COUNTY BUREAU OF THE POST.
Tel. Cla. 809. Clarendon, Va.

Christmas cheer was brought to more than 100 children and 47 families in Arlington County as they were ushered into the auditorium of the Washington-Lee High School last night and saw the packages and baskets which filled the stage.

The Rev. Isaac Stevenson, pastor of the Clarendon Presbyterian Church, acted as master of ceremonies, while W. W. Willis played the part of Santa Claus.

Preceding distribution of the gifts, a program was presented which included a play, "Mother Goose Christmas Party," by the children of Teresa Clark's Kindergarten and Christmas carols by the High School Glee Club.

The party was made possible with the cooperation of the Arlington County Welfare Board with the following organizations: The Arlington County Business and Professional Women's Club, Clarendon Business Men's Club, Arlington Post, American Legion, and Auxiliary; the Boy and Girl Scouts, Rotary Club, Red Cross and the Woman's Clubs of Arlington, Ashton Heights and Lyon Park.

Setting its goal at $12,000, the special committee to assist the Arlington County Welfare Board in raising funds have completed its organization to start the drive January 16 to continue to February 1, 1933.

Adopting recommendations made by Grover B. Payne, chairman of the campaign committee, Walter U. Varney has been selected to head the group to solicit the business firms of the county. Gilbert L. Hall, chairman of the committee, was chosen as chairman of the publicity committee and Mrs. H. W. Baldwin as chairman of the speakers' bureau. Fletcher Kemp, county school superintendent, will head the group to solicit personnel of county schools.

The presidents of the several civic organizations in the county have been selected to head committees that will solicit homes in their communities.

E. J. Skidmore, chairman of the Arlington County Welfare Board, points out that the demands that are being made upon the board at the present time can not be met without additional funds. He stressed the point that there will be no salaries or commissions paid for collection of funds.

While the drive for funds does not start until January 16, Chairman Hall announced that a dinner meeting will be held early in the campaign, but that each member will pay for his dinner.

With the hearty cooperation which has already been extended the committee by practically all organizations in the county, Hall says that he feels confident that the needs of the welfare board will be met and that no one in the county will suffer this winter if their needs are made known.

William E. Matthews, of the Ballston School, and George H. Watts, of the Henry Clay School, were yesterday announced as the winners in the contest sponsored by the Arlington County Business and Professional Woman's Club using the Christmas Seals in wrapping a package.

Winners at the colored schools were Wilbur Washington and Josephine Hoffman, both of the Kemper School.

The prize of a $2.50 gold piece was presented to the winners yesterday. The presentation was made by Mrs. Earl Butterfield, chairman of the health committee. The judges were Mrs. Blanche McKnights, Mrs. A. L. Young and Mrs. W. D. Martin, members of the Creative Arts Club of Arlington County.

Church, School, Civic and Fire Department organizations in Arlington are uniting for the annual Christmas celebration to be held tomorrow night around the huge tree planted at the intersection of Columbia Pike and Bingham road, at 7 o'clock.

The program will include the singing of Christmas carols led by J. H. Brewer of the Arlington Methodist Church. Other features will be a solo by William Tapp of the Presbyterian Church and song by the junior choir of the Patrick Henry School.

The organizations joining in the celebration include the Methodist, Baptist, Episcopal and Presbyterian churches, Arlington Citizens Association, Arlington Volunteer Fire Department, Parent-Teacher Association of the Patrick Henry School, the Arlington Woman's Club and the auxiliary to the fire department.

Former Commonwealth Attorney William C. Gloth, accompanied by his son, William, jr., left yesterday for Florida, where they will spend the holidays. Mr. Gloth said he would return in time for his son to reenter school, January 4.

The Arlington County Courthouse will close tomorrow remaining closed until Tuesday morning for the Christmas holidays. The same will be effective next Saturday in observance of New Year's Day, according to County Manager Roy S. Braden.

Miss Dorothy Leighty, of Lyon Village, who returned home yesterday for the holidays from Westhampton College, at Richmond, leaves Monday for New Orleans, where she will represent her college at the annual meeting of the National Students Federation of America which meets next Tuesday, continuing through Saturday.

The Arlington County Monarch Club aided by the Woman's Auxiliary will hold their annual Christmas celebration tonight in the parish hall of St. George's Episcopal Church at 8 o'clock.

Toys, candies and fruit will be distributed to more than 40 needy children and baskets filled with food to ten families.

The board of directors of the Arlington County Chamber of Commerce, meeting last night in the Kelley Building at Clarendon, voted to reduce annual dues to $12, effective January 1.

St. Charles Catholic School at Clarendon closes today to reopen January 3. Preceding closing time today Stephen E. Charles, playing Santa Claus, will distribute gifts to the pupils.

Wife Finds World War Veteran Shot to Death

Special to The Washington Post.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 22.—W. Roy Puffin, 36, of near Monterey, Va., was found today by his wife, shot through the head. A gun was found by his side. He was a World War veteran and a rural route mail contractor. Financial worry was blamed for his act.

His wife and several children survive.

Frederick's Old Town Clock Presented to Smithsonian

Made in Late Eighteenth Century, Timepiece Served Maryland Locality Until Recently; 157,870 New Specimens Added in Past Year.

The old town clock, after two centuries as an American institution, has arrived at the distinction of a museum exhibit.

The City of Frederick, Md., has presented to the Smithsonian Institution a tower clock movement of approximately the year 1791, for exhibition in the National Museum. It is considered a remarkable example of the early hand-made tower clocks which once were widely distributed through the towns and villages of the Eastern States.

This particular clock was purchased by popular subscription by the people of old Frederick Town, installed in the tower of the Evangelical Reformed Church and subsequently presented to the town. It continued to be the town clock until a few years ago, furnishing the time all through Frederick's troubled Civil War days. It was replaced when it was considered dangerous to operate.

The old movement is well made with wrought iron frame and brass wheels, with a hook-and-pin escapement and with an hour-strike mechanism. It is one of the few clocks known to have been made with a two-second-beat pendulum, which is approximately 14 feet in length.

During the year, according to the annual report of the museum collections, there has come to the Smithsonian a particularly rich variety of objects with historical associations or illustrative of the progress of the arts and crafts in America during the past two centuries. Among the former is a topaz necklace, purchased in Paris as a present to his wife by President James Monroe. It was presented by Mrs. Eleanore D. Hertle, and has been placed on the figure representing Mrs. Monroe in the White House dresses series. Another historical accession is a mahogany cradle owned during the latter part of the eighteenth century by Col. William A. Washington, brother of George Washington. It was donated by Peyton Magruder.

Six specimens were added to the collection illustrating the development of the sewing machine. Among these is a trial model in brass of a sewing machine made by Elias Howe, jr., loaned by his niece, Mrs. Jennie Teel Amee.

Among the materials illustrating the progress of medicine in the United States added during the year to the Smithsonian collections was a scarificator, once used by physicians in the operation of blood-letting. This old instrument of minor surgery consists of twelve blades set upon two rotary axles, which are operated by a strong spring. The blades were set to the required depth, the instrument placed upon the skin, the spring released by pressure upon a trigger, whereby twelve shallow incisions were made. A vacuum cup then was applied and a flow of blood obtained. This was donated by Miss Alda M. Doyle, of the museum staff. It had been used by her father.

Among the graphic arts accessions were a book and pamphlet printed by Benjamin Franklin. The book is a valuable bit of Americana, bearing the title, "A journal, or historical account, of the life, travels and Christian experiences or that antient, faithful servant of Jesus Christ, Thomas Chalkley; who departed this life in the Island of Tortola, the fourth day of the ninth month, 1741." The Franklin pamphlet is entitled, "An extract from a treatise by William Law, called the spirit of prayer; or, the soul rising out of the vanity of time into the riches of eternity."

All together, the National Museum received a total of 157,870 new specimens, divided as follows: Anthropology, 5,413; biology, 121,701; geology, 21,385; arts and industries, 3,305; history, 6,056. Among the biological accessions were some of plants and animals of species hitherto unknown to science. Particularly interesting specimens were the complete skeleton of a Pacific pike whale and an ocean sunfish weighing about 1,200 pounds. Outstanding mineralogical accessions were an 81-ounce nugget of gold, specimens of rare uranium minerals, and two flawless crystals of aquamarine.

LITTLE TIME LEFT TO GIVE TO POST TOY AND DOLL FUND

Continued from Page 1.

stocks, securities that were not secure and poor investments.

The Santa Claus lady can tell you of one investment that is certain to bring 100 per cent dividend and that right away. It is to become a shareholder in The Post Toy and Doll Fund, Inc. All you have to do is send in your offering before the sun sets tonight. Address it to The Post Toy and Doll Fund, Washington Post, Washington, D. C. Every cent goes for toys to children through the Council of Social Agencies, through affiliated agencies. There is not one cent deducted for overhead or other expenses. These are contributed by The Washington Post Co. as its share in bringing Merry Christmas to every needy child in the City of Washington. What you give goes for toys or dolls for needy children.

No Time to Lose.

Of course, if you haven't any money left from your own Christmas shopping, look about and see if you can find a toy, a doll or a book suitable for boys and girls. Wrap it up and bring it down to The Washington Post Building and it will help swell the mighty pile of dolls, toys and books that are to put that quota of 10,000 toys right over the top, not later than noon on Christmas Eve.

There is no time to lose. Send in your gift or toy without delay.

The Post Toy and Doll Fund snowball which has been pushed on its way since it started on Thanksgiving Day with the dime given by Ding-How of Hydegree, mascot of the Junior Post, late last night was reported by The Post Sports editor as having passed the $800 goal post on its race to reach the finish line of $1,000 by Christmas Eve.

Will Send For Toys.

The Santa Claus Lady has many willing assistants and if you will call National 4305 she will send for the toys.

Of course the toys and dolls have been pouring in. One of the social leaders of Washington stepped out of her car in her sable coat in front of The Post Building yesterday and carried boxes piled up to her chin up to the Toy Fund Department. She was followed by her chauffeur and footman with similar burdens. She does not want her name used, but she has the thanks of all those in charge of the fund and the indirect thanks of the happy little children who will receive her gifts on Christmas morning.

If there is any boy and girl who has outgrown his or her scooters, remember the less fortunate boys and girls who never had a scooter and would like to fare forth on one at Christmas time.

Doll carriages are much in demand, too. Many have come in and the Santa Clause Lady has worked faithfully to have them in perfect condition to meet the many requests.

The demand for books is very surprising showing that the youths of Washington, even those who are not in fortunate circumstances, like to read.

The spirit of Christmas is in the air, and that is the reason those in charge of The Post Toy and Doll Fund know that all the toys, dolls and games necessary will come rolling in before Christmas Eve is over and that the fund will pass the $1,000 mark.

POST TOY FUND

Previously acknowledged	$700.70
M. M. F.	10.00
For Your Kids from My Kids	3.00
Anonymous	2.00
Anonymous	3.00
S. W. C.	1.00
N. H. M.	2.00
F. T. H.	1.00
Wesley Gibson	5.00
A Friend	1.00
Mrs. Barbara Myers	1.00
M. L. S.	5.00
Ming Toy Binford—matching Ding-How	1.00
Eleanor Barbour matching Ding-How	.10
G. B.	2.00
C. E. S.	2.00
B. M.	1.00
Black Raven—matching Ding-How	1.00
A. K. Chaptine	1.00
J. N. K.	2.00
Eleanor Williams	1.00
Anonymous	2.00
Girl Reserves Club, Macfarland Junior High School.	2.50
Little R. D. H.	1.00
John Earle Chester	1.00
Alice G. Stevens	1.00
Mrs. I. Rayner	5.00
T. H. K.	5.00
Anonymous	2.00
H. A. S.	1.00
Anonymous	2.00
Mrs. Converse	10.00
E. L. B.	10.00
John Cady	1.00
In Memory of My Mother	1.00
Total to date	$790.30

Sale of $200,000 Home Reported

Mrs. Lillian Moses Sells Residence Overlooking Rock Creek Park.

The most important real estate transaction to be announced this week was that concluded yesterday by offices of John F. Maury and J. Rupert Mohler, and involving the sale of a residence at a reported consideration of $200,000. This imposing dwelling situated at 2700 Tilden street northwest, was sold for Mrs. Lillian C. Moses to an undisclosed local investor, who will make it his home June 1.

In the center of a 9.11 acre landscaped and forested tract, overlooking Rock Creek Park, the house stands, a three-story and basement structure of rubble stone with Indiana limestone trim, and heavy slate roof. Its width is more than 100 feet and there is a four-car garage in its basement.

The house is of Elizabethan architecture, and on the first floor there are a large entrance hall, drawing, sun, dining, servants' dining, and breakfast rooms, kitchen and pantry, four servants' rooms and bath. The second floor has seven rooms and five baths, and the third a glass-roofed studio and recreation room.

Britons Would Protect Dogs.

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Three hundred thousand Britons signed a petition to Parliament to pass a law prohibiting dental and other experiments on dogs.

18 Schools Wage Tubercuiosis War

Electrical Engineers Help in Improving X-Ray Diagnosis Devices.

How the battle against tuberculosis is being carried on in the laboratories of eighteen universities was described by Dr. William Charles White, chairman of the research committee of the National Tuberculosis Association, in an address last night over station WRC.

Dr. White told of how the botanical substances which cause the disease are being isolated and analyzed. One division in Johns Hopkins University is trying to determine how the bacillus gets into the body and how this entrance may be prevented, he said.

Electrical engineers at the University of Pennsylvania have made great improvements in the methods of taking X-ray pictures for detecting the presence of the bacillus in the early stages of the disease, Dr. White revealed. All the research work is being financed by the annual sale of Christmas seals, he reminded his audience.

Man Breaks Collarbone in Fall.

William F. Faulkner, 66, 1330 B street southeast, suffered a fracture of the right collarbone yesterday when he slipped on the ice and fell at New Jersey avenue and C street northwest. He was treated at Casualty Hospital.

GRAVEL AND MINING TAX BILL PROPOSED

Prince Georges Officials Seek Authority to Terminate Assessment Kicks.

A bill to allow the Prince Georges County Commissioners to assess gravel beds and mineral deposits being worked at a higher figure than similar land being used for agricultural purposes has been discussed and may be introduced in the next session of the Legislature, it was learned last night.

Proposal that such a law be enacted was made recently, after owners of gravel deposits in the county had objected to assessments on their land being higher than on similar land nearby. The dredgers maintain that it is inequitable to assess their property at $300 per acre while land in the next field, which is used for agricultural purposes, is assessed at only $60 per acre. The commissioners argue that the gravel land is more profitable than the farm land, and therefore should pay a higher tax.

The proposal to change the law was made by a member of the county delegation to the Legislature, who offered his help in passing it. The proposal was then taken up by the commissioners, and appears to have their support. The law will probably cover quarries as well as gravel beds, and is likely to apply only to Prince Georges County. A number of companies now dredge for gravel near the Potomac River in Maryland, while there is another bed near the Patuxent River, in the northeastern part of the county. There are also deposits of Fuller's earth and similar products near the Baltimore boulevard at Mulkirk and on the banks of the lower Patuxent.

Aid Is Requested In Water Survey

Experts Are Asked to Help Study of Conditions in Montgomery.

Services of any experts who wish to volunteer their aid without remuneration will be welcomed by the joint committee for study of water and sewer conditions of the ururban area of Montgomery County, it was announced yesterday following a meeting of the committee. The various chairmen will welcome the help of any persons qualified to advise in water and sanitary engineering, finance, administration and organization and legislation.

The committee is composed of members of the Montgomery County Civic Federation, the Silver Spring Chamber of Commerce and the Bethesda Chamber of Commerce. It is empowered to gather facts regarding the suburban water supply for presentation to the constituent bodies.

Any person wishing to offer aid is invited to get in touch with the following subchairmen: John A. Dickinson, Alta Vista, engineering; W. R. Tuckerman, Bethesda, finance; J. Harry Welch, administration and organization; W. I. Cleveland, legislation.

Maryland Resident Dies Of Automobile Injuries

Messiah Addison, colored, 57 years old, of Olney, Md., died yesterday at Montgomery County General Hospital at Sandy Spring, Md., as the result of injuries received Wednesday night when he was struck by an automobile on the Olney road near Norbeck, Md.

Addison and his son, Walter, were walking along the left side of the road when Messiah was struck by the car of Aubrey S. Curtis, of Pine View, Va., who was proceeding south. Curtis was not held by police at the time of the accident, but last night was notified to report to police headquarters at Rockville, Md.

Bebe Daniels' Annoyer Committed to Asylum

Los Angeles, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Albert F. Holland, accused of annoying Bebe Daniels, film star, was found insane today in a court hearing and was committed to the State hospital at Patton. Holland demanded a jury trial, however, and it was granted, to be held later.

Miss Daniels, appearing to testify, said Holland had bothered her for two or three years, writing her more than 100 letters. Holland claimed that during the filming of a motion picture in Mexico he was asked to be the bridegroom at a screen wedding, with the actress as the bride, and later was informed the marriage was legal.

Canada Asks for Delay In Shipment of Apples

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Canadian fruit shippers are urged, in a bulletin issued today by the Department of Agriculture, to withhold shipments of apples to the British market until late in January.

The United Kingdom market is flooded, the report says, and the demand is reported to be the slowest in years.

TARIFF BOARD POST RESIGNED BY CRISP

Continued from Page 1.

tive offers," Crisp told newspapermen. "I decided I ought to take this."

He referred to the Senate's action in holding up confirmation of appointments made by President Hoover. If not confirmed, the nomination would expire March 4, and the appointments would be placed in the hands of the incoming President, Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Crisp was named to the Tariff Commission after he resigned his seat in Congress to make an unsuccessful race against Gov. Richard B. Russell, jr., of Georgia for the Democratic senatorial nomination in the last primaries. He has served as a commissioner since October 7.

Indicating that he has not fared well financially by his long service in public office, Crisp said he had "decided to go out and try to make a living" in private employment.

In the House, Crisp was an influential member of the ways and means committee and was acting chairman during the framing of the last tax bill. His father was a distinguished member of the House, serving as Speaker.

Crisp said his resignation was made effective December 30, and added he is "going home to Americus, Ga., to spend Christmas with the grandbabies."

Hyattsville to Gather At Community Tree

Hyattsville's community Christmas tree, sponsored by the fire department and supported by nearly all organizations in the town, will be lighted tonight on Spencer street, west of the Baltimore boulevard, when Mayor Lamuel L. Gray presses a button.

Noble L. Owings will then lead community singing, with special numbers contributed by representatives of the Presbyterian, Pinckney Memorial, Episcopal and Baptist Churches, the Girl Scouts, the graded school, the children's harmonica band and other organizations. Music will be furnished by the American Patriotic Band. The fire department committee in charge of the tree is headed by J. Wells Fainter, while other members of the committee are Thomas Latimer, Charles E. Trott, Ernest Davis, Earle Dorrelle and Clifford O. Proctor.

FALLS CHURCH LISTS CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Carols and Story to Mark Program; Pohick Group Plans Pageant.

Christmas Eve services in the historic Falls Episcopal Church, at Falls Church, Va., will open tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock with a candle light service for children. Old and new carols will be sung, and a Christmas story, "Why the Chime Rang," will be told by the Rev. Clarence Stuart McClellan, rector of the church.

At 11 o'clock tomorrow evening a candle light service will be held for the adults, with an hour's program of ancient Christmas carols, the singers costumed in the fifteenth century style. During the program the rector will relate the story of each carol. Immediately after midnight the service of Christmas hymns, Holy Communion, and a Christmas sermon will take place. At this service the memorials to Arthur M. Wheeler, jr., will be dedicated.

Christmas Eve services in the Episcopal churches of the Fairfax charge, of which the Rev. Herbert A. Donovan is rector, have been announced as follows: Tommorrow evening at 10 o'clock, a Holy Communion and address will be held in the Church of the Holy Comforter, at Vienna. At 11:15 o'clock, in the Zion Episcopal Church, at Fairfax, the Choral Holy Communion and address will take place.

The Sunday School of Pohick Episcopal Church will hold a pageant with Christmas carols, tomorrow evening, in the Parish Hall, under the direction of Mrs. L. I. Dolph, of Lorton, Va. The Rev. C. A. Langston, rector of the historic church, which George Washington attended, near Mount Vernon, states that services will be held Christmas Day at the usual Sunday hours, with Holy Communion.

Soldier-Inventor Rests in Arlington

Master Sergeant Nelson Buried, His Service Unrewarded.

Burial in Arlington Cemetery yesterday of Master Sergt. Paul R. Nelson, Coast Artillery, brought to a close an Army career which saw unrewarded the invention by the dead soldier of a cable system for detonating submarine mines at harbor entrances.

Sergt. Nelson died at Walter Reed Hospital Monday. He was 56. Friends had long sought to obtain legislation which would enable him to retire with the rank and pay of a captain as a reward for his invention. No success had crowned the efforts and Sergt. Nelson, whose invention it said to have saved the Government millions of dollars, was receiving the base pay of his rank, $156, at the time of his death.

Born in La Crosse, Wis., Sergt. Nelson enlisted in the Regular Army in 1898, after service in the Wisconsin National Guard for three years. He is survived by his widow, who lives at Fort Monroe, Va., Sergt. Nelson's last station.

Abernethy Returns After Long Illness

North Carolina Member of House Thanks Friends for Attentions.

(Associated Press.)

Representative Charles L. Abernethy, of North Carolina, has an additional reason to be thankful during the Christmas season. He had recovered sufficiently from his long illness to visit the House floor yesterday for the first time since late last session. The majority of the members present sought him out to congratulate him.

Mr. Abernethy, a Democrat, was reelected in November despite the fact that he was unable to campaign actively.

He inserted in the record a statement which said he wished to express his appreciation "to my friends in North Carolina as well as to my colleagues in Congress for the many expressions of good will and for their many individual acts of personal consideration for me during my long illness."

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

National University Law School

Winter Term Begins January 3, 1933, at 6:30 P. M.

Standard three-year course leading to degrees of LL.B., B. C. L. and J. D.

Graduate courses leading to degrees of LL.M., M. P. L., S. J. D. and D. C. L.

All classes held at hours convenient for employed students.

School of Economics and Government

Degree courses of collegiate grade offered in Political Science, Government, Economics, Psychology, History, Finance, Business and Languages.

Address Secretary
Nat'l 6617, 818 13th St. N.W.

FATHER KELLY PAID HONOR ON JUBILEE

Surprise Entertainment Is Given to Pastor in Alexandria.

THE WASHINGTON POST BUREAU,
907 Prince St., Alexandria, Va.
Phone Alexandria 323.

The Rev. Joseph J. Kelly, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, was given a surprise entertainment on Wednesday night in the parish hall of his church, in celebration of his silver jubilee in the priesthood. Father Kelly was ordained in Baltimore, Md., on December 21, 1907, by the late James Cardinal Gibbons.

Wednesday afternoon a number of priests from Alexandria, Washington and Baltimore attended a dinner given Father Kelly in the rectory, 707 North Columbus street, when the Very Rev. Father Rankin, dean of the Northern Virginia section of the diocese, read a letter of congratulations from the Rt. Rev. A. J. Brennan, Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Richmond.

In the evening a large number of the congregation of St. Mary's and St. Rita's parishes gathered, and M. J. McFarland, who presided over the program, presented Father Kelly with a purse of more than $300, the gift of friends in the parish.

Mrs. Bessie Fagelson, wife of Joe Fagelson, died yesterday at her home, 314 Wolfe street, after a short illness of pneumonia. Besides her husband she is survived by a young daughter, Anna Fagelson; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rubin; five sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Bertha Wasserman, of Clarendon; Mrs. Mary Fagelson, Misses Ida, Evelyn and Mamie Rubin, and D. L. and A. L. Rubin, all of Alexandria.

Funeral services will be at 11 a. m. today from Danzansky's funeral home, 3501 Fourteenth street northwest, Washington.

Mrs. Prudence Peverill, 84, widow of Lewis Peverill, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Butts, Duke street extended. She was a native of England. Mrs. Peverill is survived by the following children: George W., John W. and Lewis E. Peverill, Mrs. Frank Butts, Mrs. Calvin Butts and Mrs. W. S. Adams; also 20 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow from the Free Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. J. M. Jennings, the pastor. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery.

The Sunday school entertainment of the First Baptist Church will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the church auditorium, and the children taking part are requested to be in the church by 7:30.

The Alexandria United Charities yesterday received in reply to the appeal sent out by Elliott F. Hoffman, chairman of the finance committee, a donation of $400 in orders on the stores of the Sanitary Grocery Co. for the next three months; the Alexandria Water Co., $450, and the Peoples Drug Stores, $50, in two equal installments.

Damage estimated at $200 was done by fire yesterday at the King Rest Camp, North Washington street, owned and operated by Joe Varin. The fire started over the air compression apparatus, and the damage was on the first floor.

V. D. Edwards has been reelected president of Engine Company No. 5, of the Alexandria Fire Department, for the second term; other officers are H. Field, first vice president; J. Bauliss, second vice president; Robert Gorham, treasurer; F. M. Edwards, secretary; M. L. Gorham, assistant secretary; J. C. Shaw, captain; L. O. Proctor, first lieutenant; W. O. Merriman, second lieutenant; J. N. Dyson, commander of hose; G. F. Rush, assistant.

Automobile Collision Suits Total $11,000

A recent automobile collision on the Crain highway produced a sequel yesterday when damage suits totaling $11,000 were filed in Prince Georges County Circuit Court against B. K. Miller, a Clinton, Md., merchant.

Miller, according to the suits, was the owner of a truck which was in collision with an auto driven by Walter Chapman, of Baltimore. Chapman asked damages of $1,000, while Norvel High and Hattie Scott, passengers in Chapman's machine, asked $5,000 each for personal injuries.

Christmas Trees TURKEYS
AND ALL THE
TRIMMINGS
are
LOW-PRICED
WHEN BOUGHT IN THE
Southwest MARKET
Take "Wharves" Car on 11th or 14th St. and ride to F St. S.W.

POULTRY — SEA FOOD
EGGS — BEAUTIFUL
FRUITS — CHRISTMAS
VEGETABLES — GREENS

OFFICIAL FARMERS' MARKET
Potomac Food Distributors
MUNICIPAL FISH MARKET

WOODWARD & LOTHROP
The Christmas Store

TOILETRY GIFTS

—as smart as they are thrifty

$1 to $5

Houbigant's Set for Men—"Fougere Royale"—after-shaving lotion, shaving cream, and talcum.
$2.25

Houbigant's Perfume and Compact Set — the exquisite "Quelques Fleurs" — and a chic triple compact.
$5

Cheramy's "April Showers" gift set—face powder, eau de Cologne, and talcum.
$1

Bourjois' "Evening in Paris" set for the bath—bath crystals, and bath dusting powder—beautifully boxed.
$2.50

Hudnut's "Yanky Clover" Toilet Set—toilet water, brilliantine, and talcum.
$2

"Seventeen"—in a delightful three-piece gift set—face powder, complexion cream lotion, and hand lotion.
$2.75

TOILETRIES, AISLES 14, 16, 18, FIRST FLOOR

Gowns and Wraps
Carefully Remodeled
At Reduced Prices
JEANNE
1929 K St. N.W. ME. 4545

:: MISS BERT ::
MODISTE—DESIGNER
Of Individual Gowns
Remodeling a Specialty
Appointment Only CAVALIER HOTEL COlumbia 3600

BUDD'S Est. 1876
Columbia 0707
Please your guests or homefolks by ordering
BUDD'S
ICE CREAM
For Christmas and the holidays. Frozen Eggnog. Plumbier. Nesselrode and Christmas molds. Try our special homemade Christmas Pound Cake.
2503 Champlain St.
Opposite Christian Science Church at 18th and Col. Road

RUDY VALLEE
AND HIS ORCHESTRA
AT
WARDMAN PARK HOTEL
NEW YEAR'S EVE
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31
Dinner—Dancing—Breakfast
Buy Your Tickets Early
At Wardman Park Hotel

M. PASTERNAK
1219 Connecticut Ave.
semi-annual
SALE
now in progress,
drastic price reductions
Frocks, Gowns, Wraps, Coats, Suits, Furs, Hats, Sportswear, Lingerie, Hosiery.
all sales final

Special CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY DINNERS

SUNDAY DEC. 25 and MONDAY DEC. 26
at $2.50 per person
In the Presidential Dining Room
NOON UNTIL 9 P.M. ... SIDNEY'S MUSIC
Mayflower Coffee Shoppe
HOLIDAY DINNERS
Same hours at $1.25 per person
HOTEL Mayflower

A HOLIDAY TRIP
at
Greatly Reduced Fares
to almost
ANYWHERE
33 1/3% discount on long limit tickets
40-50% discount on short limit tickets
Tickets good on all trains. Pullman accommodations may be purchased.
Tickets on Sale Now
Consult ticket agent for details
CHESAPEAKE and OHIO

POST WANT ADS PAY.

Interesting Items in Washington Society Circles

President Departs For Savannah Today.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. HOOVER and their party will leave today for Savannah, where they will board the Department of Commerce boat, the Sequoia, for a ten-day cruise in Florida.

The Vice President and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Everett Gann will spend Christmas day with the Vice resident's son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. Charles P. George, and their children at Fort Myer.

The Minister of Roumania, Mr. Charles A. Davila, arrived in New York yesterday on the Europa.

The Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Arthur M. Hyde were joined yesterday by their daughter, Miss Caroline Hyde.

Tea Dance This Afternoon For Miss Vandenberg.

Senator and Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg will entertain at a tea dance this afternoon in the ballroom of the Carlton for their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Vandenberg, who is spending the Christmas holidays in Washington. Miss Vandenberg is a student at Rockford College, Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. Vandenberg and her daughter will receive the guests, who will be only members of the younger set. Mrs. Vandenberg will wear a gown of brown georgette crepe with a bodice of gold lace and a small brown hat, and Miss Vandenberg will wear a frock of white rough crepe fashioned with a shoulder cape bordered with mink, and a small hat of raspberry red.

The ballroom will be decorated with Christmas greens and red flowers.

Assisting Miss Vandenberg will be a group of young girls and young matrons who were debutantes with her elder sister, Mrs. John Knight, the former Miss Barbara Vandenberg. They will include Mrs. Barclay Jermain Townsend, Miss Helen Clifford, Mrs. William Jefferies Chewning, jr., Miss Esther Wallace, Miss Frances Virginia Waggamann, Miss Mary Ingraham Henry, Miss Junia Culbertson, Miss Lalla Harrison Lynn and Mrs. Oliver Walker.

Mr. Henry Villard will leave Washington tomorrow to spend Christmas with his family in New York.

Mrs. Thomas D. Thacher, wife of the Solicitor General, is at her cottage at the Yeamans Hall Club, in Charleston, S. C., with Miss Mary Thacher and Mr. Thomas D. Thacher, jr., for the Christmas holidays.

Representative-elect Philip A. Goodwin and Mrs. Goodwin, of Coxsachie, N. Y., are spending the holidays at the Mayflower, accompanied by their young son and daughter, John and Jean Goodwin.

Mr. Goodwin will succeed Mr. Harcourt J. Pratt as representatives from the Twenty-seventh Congressional District of New York.

Mr. O. Harlan Cross, jr., has joined his parents, Representative and Mrs. O. H. Cross, and his sister, Miss Mary Cross, in their apartment at Wardman Park Hotel, coming here from their home in Waco, Tex., to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Rousseau, widow of Rear Admiral Henry Harwood Rousseau, U. S. N., is now established in the old house which she purchased and remodeled at 313 South Lee street, Alexandria, and has been joined for the holidays by her three sons, Henry H. Rousseau, jr., from New York City; William Parker Rousseau, from Lennox School, and Bard Rousseau, from St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H.

The First Secretaries of the Czechoslovakian Legation, Dr. Josef Nemecek and Mr. Otakar Kabelac, left yesterday for New York and will sail on the Christmas cruise to the West Indies on the Conte Grande.

The retiring Air Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Thenault will sail January 21 on the Paris for France.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Howard 3d, the latter formerly Miss Louise Brooks, will entertain at dinner January 12 in honor of Mr. Howard's sister, Miss Polly Howard, and her fiance, Mr. John Clayton Bogan, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clayton Bogan, whose marriage will take place January 13.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. John Morse will have with them for the New Year holidays their daughter and son-in-law, Ensign and Mrs. Raymond Hunter. Mrs. Hunter, who was formerly Miss Frances Morse, has been living in Long Beach, Calif., since her marriage, while Ensign Hunter is attached to the U. S. S. Maryland. Ensign and Mrs. Hunter are motoring East and are expected to arrive in Washington on December 29.

Mr. Malvern Morse, a senior at Princeton, and Mr. John Morse are also with their parents for the holidays.

Mrs. Daniel C. Stapleton will entertain at a dance this evening for her sub-debutante daughter, Miss Stellita Stapleton, there will be about 150 guests. Mrs. Stapleton has with her her sister, Mrs. Mae L. Hamilton and for the holidays her nephew, Mr. Frank Hamilton, who is a student at the Choate School.

200 Attend Ball Given For Miss Matheson.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Matheson, of Wellington on the Potomac, were hosts at a ball last night at the Mayflower for their debutante daughter, Miss Julia Matheson, who was formally presented on November 6 at their Virginia estate. Approximately 300 guests were present including the debutante group and young men and women at home from college for the holidays.

The hosts and their daughter received the guests in the grand ballroom of the hotel where dancing followed later in the evening.

Tinsel covered cedar trees were placed between each one of the ballroom boxes that were covered with festoons of southern smilax, and two large cedars on the stage were electrically lighted and trimmed with Christmas decorations. Poinsettias and red and white candles and confections were used on the buffet table in the Chinese room where supper was served after midnight.

Preceding the ball, Mr and Mrs. Charles F. B. Ogilby entertained at dinner in the palm court of the Mayflower in compliment to Miss Matheson and their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Ogilby. Covers were laid for 35.

Judge Eugene Sykes, who acted as chairman of the American group at the International Radio Conference at Madrid, returned yesterday to New York on the Manhattan.

Mrs. Joseph Leiter and Mrs. Nancy Leiter are spending the Christmas holidays with the former's sister, Mrs. Huston Rawls, at Aiken, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagner To Entertain Subdebutantes.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall H. Hagner will entertain at a dinner this evening when their guests will be members of the subdebutante set.

Mrs. James Ellwood Jones and her son, James, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, in their home on Tracy place for several days, have left for Mrs. Jones' former home in Pittsburgh, where they will spend the holidays.

Mr. David H. Blair, jr., has joined his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt Blair, at Wardman Park Hotel for the Christmas holidays.

Maj. and Mrs. James B. Mann will have with them for the holidays the latter's parents, Col. and Mrs. F. E. Hopkins, who will come today from New York, and Lieut. and Mrs. I. A. Duffy, who will arrive from West Point. Mrs. Duffy was formerly Miss Frances Hopkins, and made her debut here several years ago when Col. Hopkins was stationed in Washington.

Mrs. Brown, wife of Prof. William Adams Brown, of New York City, is spending a few days at Wardman Park Hotel before rejoining him at their home for the holidays.

Mrs. John M. Enochs, widow of Capt. Enochs, will leave today for Mississippi to spend the holidays with Capt. Enoch's relatives. She will return after the New Year.

Mrs. Samuel S. Dennis has returned to Washington from Boston, where she has been visiting for a few weeks, and has opened her apartment at Wardman Park Hotel for the remainder of the season.

Dinner This Evening For Miss Marlatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal T. McKenna will entertain at dinner this evening for Miss Bamble McKenna in honor of Miss Dorothy Marlatt, preceding the dance that Mrs. Daniel Stapleton will give for her subdebutante daughter, Miss Stellita Stapleton.

Mr. Daniel F. O'Connell, who has been spending a few weeks here at Wardman Park Hotel, left yesterday to join Mrs. O'Connell at their home in Brookline, Mass. He will return after the holidays, accompanied by Mrs. O'Connell and they will open their apartment at Wardman for the remainder of the winter.

Lieut. and Mrs. William A. Davis, of Fort Monmouth, N. J., will arrive today to spend the holidays with the latter's parents, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. George T. Everett.

Mrs. John F. Sweeney, who has been spending the last two months in West Virginia, will return today to Washington for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Kerngood have left Washington for Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the season.

Miss Katherine Bichowski will entertain at a dance this evening in honor of her house guest, Miss Barbara Brepz, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taylor, of Norfolk, Va., are at the Carlton.

Mrs. Stephen Bonsal entertained yestehrday at luncheon at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, in New York, in honor of Mrs. Walton Livingston Oakley.

Mrs. John Walsh entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Carlton.

Mrs. Sydney Guggenheim announces the engagement of her daughter Leah Beatrice to Mr. Jeffrey A. Abel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Abel. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Elinor Flood will entertain at luncheon at the National Woman's Country Club on December 29.

Mrs. Rudolph Max Kauffmann will entertain at a small dance this evening for the subdebutante set at the Chevy Chase Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Cabot Stevens will have with them for the holidays their niece and nephews, Miss Margaret Conklin, who will come from Bryn Mawr, and Mr. George Conklin and Mr. William Conklin, who will come from the University of Pennsylvania, where they are doing post graduate work, having graduated last year from Dartmouth. They will arrive today and remain over Monday.

Col. and Mrs. Herron Give Dance for Daughter.

Col. and Mrs. C. D. Herron entertained at a dance last evening for their subdebutante daughter, Miss Louise Herron.

The provisional members of the Junior League for this year are Miss Betsy Burke, Miss Catherine DuBois, Miss Madge Ely, Miss Gertrude Faust, Miss Susan Rogers, Miss Marion Shouse, Miss Louise Tittmann, Miss Ruth Tuckerman, Miss Gladys Szechenyi, Mrs. John Benney, Miss Betsy Berrien, Mrs. Crosby Boyd, Miss Mary Stuart Birdsall, Miss Nancy Crowther, Mrs. John B. Ecker, jr., Miss Louise McCracken, Miss Patricia Ridsdale, Miss Cecelia Robb, Mrs. J. Townsend Russell, Miss Sydney Sullivan, Miss Greta Swenson, Miss Ellen Whitbridge and Mrs. Crowley Williams.

Christmas Setting For Tompkins Dance Tonight.

The dance which Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Tompkins will give at their home, Battery Terrill, this evening for their debutante daughters, Miss Emma Tompkins and Miss Louise Tompkins, is being planned with the Christmas spirit prevailing in the decorations.

On the lower floor, which will be entirely given over to the dancing, red of holly berries will glow from the pine-banked mantels over the fireplaces.

The guests, who have been limited to 200, will be received by Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins and their daughters in the west drawing room. The two sisters, according to their custom, will be dressed alike in simple white tulle frocks with shoulder capes outlined with crystal trimming, suggestive of snowflakes. They will carry scarlet poinsettia blossoms.

A unique feature will be the background for the seated supper which will be served in the recreation room, which covers the entire third floor of the Tompkins home. For this occasion the room will be transformed into a veritable Christmas forest with pine trees brought from Spring Hill, the Tompkins country home near Warrenton, Va. The table linen will be in green to harmonize with the forest setting. Tables seating groups of varying numbers will be interspersed among the trees, and the lighting will come in an incandescent form from Christmas tree sets intertwined among the pine branches.

Miss Hefty Becomes Bride This Afternoon.

A quiet wedding will take place this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Grant Hefty, on West Woodbine street, Chevy Chase, when their daughter, Miss Virginia Hefty, will be married to Prof. DeWitt C. Knowles, jr. The officiating clergyman will be Dr. U. S. G. B. Pierce, of All Souls Unitarian Church, Washington. Miss Hefty will have as her maid of honor, her sister, Miss Georgella Hefty.

The bride will wear an afternoon gown of dark blue velvet and will have yellow roses for her bouquet. The maid of honor has chosen rust color velvet and her flowers will be Talisman roses.

A graduate of George Washington University, the bride received her master's degree at Washington Stare College. Prof. Knowles is a member of the staff at George Washington University. Prof. and Mrs. Knowles will be at home after January 15, at 2310 Ashmead place.

The League of Republican Women will not observe their day at home this afternoon nor next Friday afternoon.

On Friday, January 6, Mrs. Frank W. Mondell will receive and tea will be served from 4 until 6 o'clock at the clubhouse at Scott Circle.

The Washington Alumnae Club of Sweet Briar College will give a luncheon at the Parrot Teahouse on December 28 in observance of Sweet Briar Day, an annual event celebrated on that date by alumnae of the Virginia college all over the United States and observed this year by alumnae groups in 70 other cities and towns in all sections of the country.

Miss Theda Sherman, of 3324 Newark street northwest, is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the luncheon. Speakers will be Mrs. Vivienne Barkalow Breckenridge, of Denver, Colo., alumnae secretary, and Miss Margaret Banister, of Washington, assistant in the office of the president at Sweet Briar. In addition to the Sweet Briar alumnae living in Washington, a number of the present students of the college, who are at home for the Christmas holidays, are expected at the luncheon.

The League for the Larger Life will play Santa Claus to a group of orphans tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the ballroom of the Gordon Hotel, 916 Sixteenth street northwest. There will be a program of vocal and instrumental selections.

A Christmas tree with presents, apples and nuts for all will be one of the features of the evening. Each adult will bring two presents, one wrapped in red paper for a boy and one in white paper for a girl.

Recent Debutantes

Underwood & Underwood.

Miss Marion Shouse (right), daughter of Mrs. Edwards Shouse, and Miss Helen Fortescue, daughter of Mrs. Granville Fortescue, recently presented to society.

What Today Means to You

By MARY BLAKE.

"CAPRICORN."

IF December 23 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:20 a. m. to 11:30 a. m., from 4 p. m. to 5 p. m., and from 9:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. The danger periods are from 8 a. m. to 9:15 a. m., and from 11 p. m. to 12 midnight.

Forces operating on this December 23 will seem to be against you. Fate will not be for you, but if you base your decisions and actions on sound judgment you should not fare badly. Bad news of a personal nature may come to your attention. Marital rifts are likely to occur and relations between amorous ones are likely to be severely tried and tested.

The child born on this December 23 will have a good deal to overcome in the course of his earlier years. A not too strong constitution should be outgrown and in all probability will not be a handicap to his success. A whiny and picayune nature, with a tendency toward morbidity of thought will pass away as health improves. The child should come to lead a very successful life, a life both useful and interesting. You may count on him to achieve great accomplishments.

If December 23 is your birthday you are probably the type of person who can best be described as a "fair-weather" personality. You are friendly, happy and cheerful, kind and loving, active and "up and doing," when you are "riding the crest of the wave" and things are coming your way. When events go against you, you are quite a different person. You are inclined to be grouchy, aloof, unresponsive and gloomy, and even disagreeable. You have your ups and downs much more frequently than the average person. You react very quickly to the smallest of things.

You must seek to develop a more stable temperament. You are an enthusiastic and hard worker under favorable circumstances. You have an abundance of ideas and are always thinking up some new scheme to advance both yourself and the company you work for. You are unselfish. You have great ambition, you want very much to succeed and to have all that success means in the way of fame, wealth, friends, &c. Fundamentally honest, you nevertheless stoop to trickery and scheming on occasions.

Successful people born December 23:
David M. Stone, journalist.
Thomas W. Evans, dentist.
Hiram A. Cutting, scientist and physician.
Charles S. Minot, biologist and educator.
Amos R. Wells, author.
Oscar Strauss, philanthropist.

(Copyright, 1932.)

Culbertson on Bridge

By ELY CULBERTSON

537.

HOW NOT TO PLAY BRIDGE.

EVERY once in a while in Rubber games two strong players get together against very weak opponents. Although the results of these rubbers are not absolutely foregone conclusions, generally you will find the strong pair on the long end of the score—usually by a good margin—if there is no one on the weak side to take control of the bidding or the defense to enable it to get anything at all out of the cards. However, I watched a rubber yesterday wherein the weak side did even worse than usual. It held sufficient cards to win a 1,200-point rubber and go out at least four times. It eventually lost an 18-point rubber. North and South, the strong pair, scored one of their games on the following remarkable hand, which serves as an excellent text for a sermon on "How Not to Play Bridge."

North—Dealer.
East-West vulnerable.

	♠ Q J 10 2 ♡ A J 8 ◇ 10 6 3 ♣ 4 3 2	
♠ A 7 6 ♡ K 5 4 ◇ A Q J 8 7 ♣ K 8	N W E S	♠ K 8 5 ♡ 3 2 ◇ K 5 4 2 ♣ A 10 9 5
	♠ 9 4 3 ♡ Q 10 9 7 6 ◇ 9 ♣ Q J 7 6	

The Bidding:

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

South	West	North	East
		Pass	Pass
1♡(1)	Dbl.	1NT(2)	Dbl.(3)
Pass	Pass	2♡(4)	Pass
3♡(5)	Dbl.(6)	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1—A psychic bid to try to steer the opponents from the game which South feels sure they must have.
2—Cooperating with his partner.
3—A Penalty Double, which is the only way in which East can show his strength.
4—North sensibly runs out.
5—Quite risky, but South is desperate. He knows that West will surely bid something if he passes, and that East and West will undoubtedly reach a game. South is enjoying the rubber too much to let it terminate so quickly.
6—West does bid something—a very sound Penalty Double.

Glancing at the North and South hands, it is quite obvious to even the merest novice that at least 5 tricks must be lost, and, in addition, close examination of the two hands by an expert shows that perfect defense—that is, merely pumping Declarer with diamonds, probably will defeat the hand 3 or 4 tricks. However, the play went somewhat as follows:

West chose to open a low heart. Declarer took the nine in his hand, immediately finessed the Knave and then played the Ace, clearing the trumps. He now led the spade Queen from Dummy. East quite naturally ducked, and West, not knowing his partner held the King decided to stay off to keep Declarer out of the Dummy to run the rest of the spade suit. Declarer, now having made his spade trick, knew that nothing could be gained by continuing that suit. He knew his next hope was to set up some club tricks, but he was in Dummy now for the first and last time, and if he led clubs himself, he knew that East, after taking the club, must shift to diamonds, so he decided to adopt a more strategic course. He led a low diamond from Dummy up to the singleton 9 in his hand, West, of course, taking the trick with the Knave. West did exactly what Declarer hoped he would. Assuming South to have something in diamonds, West shifted to clubs, leading the King, then following with a small one. East took the Ace and laid down the spade King. However, he had already discarded a small spade on the third round of hearts and had no spades to continue. East, holding the diamond King, was loath to continue that suit and now shifted to a club. Declarer cashed his two clubs and then the two remaining trumps, and poor West was up against it. He did not know whether South had another diamond or another spade left, and, still under the same delusion as he was when Declarer cleverly led up to his singleton 9 of diamonds, he assumed that South must have something in diamonds, and discarded the spade Ace, giving Declarer the last trick with his 9 of spades. Thus, only 4 tricks were lost—2 clubs, 1 diamond and 1 spade—and the contract of three hearts doubled was fulfilled—probably the most amazing defense I have ever seen.

TOMORROW'S HAND.

The bidding and play of the hand printed below will be discussed tomorrow:

South—Dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

	♠ — ♡ A K J 10 6 4 ◇ A 6 2 ♣ J 10 8 2	
♠ 10 9 8 3 ♡ Q ◇ Q J 10 9 8 7 5 3 ♣ —	N W E S	♠ 4 2 ♡ 9 8 7 3 2 ◇ — ♣ A Q 9 7 6 4
	♠ A K Q J 7 6 5 ♡ 6 ◇ K 4 ♣ K 5 3	

Study the hand, decide how you would bid and play it, and then compare the results you obtain with those shown in tomorrow's article.

(Copyright, 1932.)

Fifth Avenue Fashions

You know this season they're wearing all types of jumper dresses.

Today's model will have instant appeal to the chic school girl.

For it a brown, beige and green plaided woolen made the jumper. It has the wrapped closing now so voguish. The separate guimpe was beige fine wale pique. It is also smart with the guimpe made of toning green shade wool crepe.

Wool jersey, rabbit's-hair woolen, wool crepe and tweed-like cottons are also suitable.

Style No. 3387 is designed for 8, 10, 12 and 14 years.

Size 8 requires 1¾ wards 35-inch, with 1¼ yards 35-inch for blouse. Price of patterns, 15 cents.

Our large winter Fashion Magazine contains the most popular styles for the adult, miss and child. Street clothes, party dresses, coats, blouses, home wear, lingerie, &c.

In addition there is a three-lesson beauty course covering the face and hands, hair and figure.

Also a good selection of patchwork quilts, embroidery work and other suggestions that you can make in your leisure moments.

Be sure to fill in the size of the pattern. Send stamps or coin (coin preferred). Price of book, 10 cents. Price of pattern, 15 cents.

Address Fashion Department, The Washington Post, Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street, New York City.

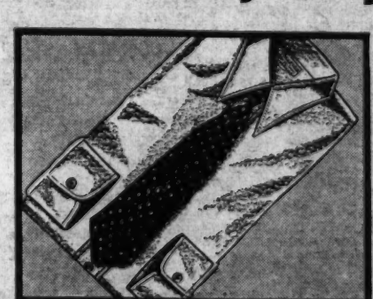
No. 3387. Size.....
.....
Name.
.....
Street Address.
.....
City. State.

Daily Christmas Suggestion—

Val St. Lambert
TABLE CRYSTAL
Imported etched crystal service comprising Luncheon Goblets, Tall and Low Sherbets, Wines, Clarets, 14-oz. Tumblers. Usually $9.00 dozen.
SPECIAL ..... 50c Each
DULIN & MARTIN
Connecticut Ave. and L

GARDEN SHOPPE INC.
4 Convenient Restaurants
14th and Monroe Sts. — 14th and Thomas Circle
1124 Vermont Ave. — 1835 Columbia Rd.
ANNOUNCES SPECIALS FOR CHRISTMAS
Frozen Xmas Pudding, $1.00 Qt. Delivered
Individual and Large Ice Cream Molds
Large Mince Pies, 75c
Delicious Fruit Cake, 75c lb.
Genuine Pound Cake, 75c lb.
Layer Cakes, $1.00 Each
Small Iced Cakes, Xmas Decorations, 50c Doz.
Honey Cookies
ICE CREAM and ICES $1.00 Delivered qt.
Sixteen Different Flavors
For Orders and Delivery on Sunday, Dec. 25, Call Col. 5915 or Col. 9045
CLOSED FOR MEALS XMAS DAY
All shops will we open Monday, December 26, for SPECIAL XMAS DINNER with all the Holiday Goodies will be served from 12 to 9 P. M. $1.00 and 75c

Stohlman's INC. ICE CREAM FOR THE HOLIDAYS
Confectioners and Caterers.
DELICIOUS CRISP PIES
Pumpkin, 60c Mince, 60c
Special Mince, $1.00
Decorated ICED CAKES....40c doz.
Cream wafer mints (all colors), 50c lb.
SALTED NUTS
All Large Fresh Roasted
CASHEWS.....50c lb.
PECANS.....$1.00 lb.
ALMONDS.....$1.00 lb.
Mixed (no peanuts).90c lb.
Large assortment of nut fruit and cream filled candies.....50c lb.
Fancy assorted cakes, $2.50 per hundred; $1.00 per pound.
1254 Wisconsin Ave.
Many delightful flavors in combinations to suit your taste. $1.00 Qt.
INDIVIDUAL FORMS Santa Claus, Bells, Snowballs, Holly, &c. $3.25 Doz.
Large Fancy Molds at Special Prices
Frozen Puddings
Plumbeire—Nesselrode
Tutti Frutti
Delivered Packed in Dry or Water Ice
Stohlman's INC.
West 0063

Washington's Finest Men's Wear Store
Sale! Today Only!

Men's Silk SHIRTS
Heavy Quality Radium Silk
These are an extra heavy quality fine radium silks, smartly styled and finely tailored . . . In beautiful plain shades and plain whites . . . Collar attached. A truly luxurious gift. This same quality has sold in our regular stocks until recently for as much as $5. Buy him at least three. In handsome gift boxes.
$1.95
Charge Accounts Invited
RALEIGH HABERDASHER
1310 F Street

When You Plunge That Fork Into Your Delicious Xmas Turkey
You'll want to know that there is EVERYTHING to go with it. New Center Market is headquarters for Christmas food delicacies—meats, poultry, vegetables, fruits, seafood, imported delicacies . . . even the flowers for your table. Don't overlook ANYTHING to make this year's Christmas dinner the most successful you've ever had.
Open Tomorrow Night Until 10 P. M.
NEW CENTER MARKET
5th St., K to L N.W.
Park Your Car on Our Lot

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

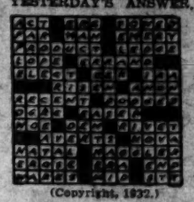
ACROSS.

1 Restaurant
5 To cow
8 Sharp, abrupt sound
12 Substance derived from Ceylon moss
13 Chinese sauce for fish
14 A fine whetstone
15 To range
16 Stimulation
18 Individual consciousness
19 Pass below the horizon
20 Pertaining to perfection
21 Takes back
24 To give up
26 A separate portion
27 Implement for washing floors
30 Proportion
32 Enlivening
34 A finial on a pagoda
35 A food fish
37 Covered with reddish coating
38 A liquid applied to skin
40 Bobbin
43 Conducted
44 Consumed
47 Support for a statue
49 A culinary herb
50 The rainbow
51 An Indian of Colorado and Utah
52 Insects
53 Covers with a metallic element
54 A teamster's term
55 Black

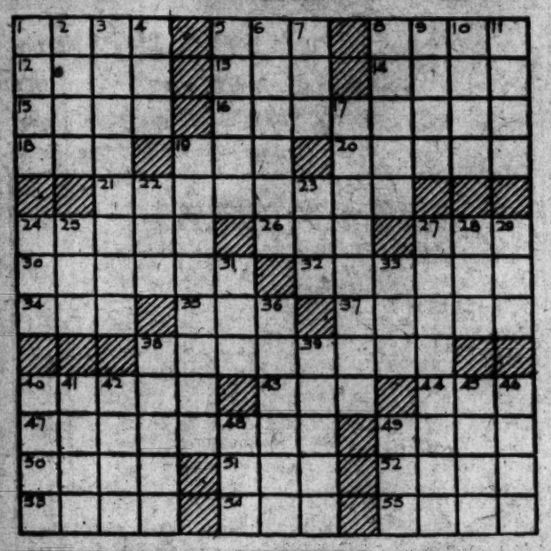
DOWN.

1 Anxiety
2 Eager
3 One preferred above others
4 Before
5 Turkish money of account
6 Door
7 Hole through head of needle
8 Casts off
9 Not any
10 A handle (archeology)
11 Rind
17 Giggled
19 Thin plates with patterns cut through
22 The mother of Cain
23 A tooth for transmitting motion
24 Moisten or saturate
25 A cutting implement
27 Wrong
28 A cereal grass
29 Work at steadily
31 A measure of weight
33 Woman devoted to religious life under vows
36 Expand
38 A deposit of clay or fine sand
39 Affray
40 Small point of land running into water
41 A Persian fairy
42 Chief Norse god
45 Travel by ox wagon
46 Quiet.
48 A tow vessel
49 A Japanese sash

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



(Copyright, 1932.)



On the Air Today

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23.

WRC—National Broadcasting Co.
(316 Meters. 950 Kilocycles.)

6:45 a. m.—Exercises.
8:00 a. m.—Gene and Glenn.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Varieties.
8:30 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:00 a. m.—Morning Glee Club.
9:15 a. m.—Anne Hard, Current Events.
9:30 a. m.—Flying Fingers.
9:45 a. m.—Banjoleers.
10:00 a. m.—Melodie.
10:15 a. m.—Breen and De Rose.
10:30 a. m.—Strolling Fiddler.
10:45 a. m.—Betty Crocker.
11:00 a. m.—"Don Caesar de Bazan," dramatic production, with music from the opera "Maritana."
12:00 (noon)—Johnny Marvin, tenor.
12:15 p. m.—Eldora Stanford, soprano.
12:30 p. m.—Naselok Correct Time.
12:31 p. m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
1:30 p. m.—Carlton Concert Ensemble.
2:00 p. m.—"The Magic of Speech," by Vida Sutton.
2:30 p. m.—Three Shades of Blue.
2:45 p. m.—Muted Strings.
3:00 p. m.—United States Marine Band.
4:00 p. m.—"May We Present?"
4:15 p. m.—Rice String Quartet.
4:45 p. m.—Lady Next Door.
5:00 p. m.—Santa Claus Broadcasting from Palais Royal Toyland.
5:15 p. m.—Aunt Sue and Polly.
5:30 p. m.—Flying Family.
5:45 p. m.—Manhattan Program.
6:00 p. m.—Wardman Concert Ensemble.
6:15 p. m.—U. S. Weather Forecast.
6:16 p. m.—"If It's New, We Have It."
6:21 p. m.—Concert Ensemble.
6:25 p. m.—Grosner's Success Hit of the Day.
6:30 p. m.—Auth's Ensemble.
6:45 p. m.—"G. E. Circle."
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—Hominy Not Harmony.

HOMINY . . .
NOT HARMONY!
Fifteen minutes of comedy—mix-ups—fun and song. Be sure and tune in!
With JOSEPH BRUNO
"The Neapolitan Troubadour"
BREWER-SNYDER CO., Inc.
Makers of "PURITEE HOMINY."

7:30 p. m.—El Tango Romantico.
7:45 p. m.—Goldbergs.
8:00 p. m.—Cities Service Orchestra. Cavaliers. Jessica Dragonette, soprano.
9:00 p. m.—Cliquot Club.
9:30 p. m.—Pond's Dance Orchestra, Mrs. Roosevelt.
10:00 p. m.—Al Jolson.
10:30 p. m.—"The Elgin Adventurers' Club," Floyd Gibbons.
10:45 p. m.—Lanny Ross, tenor.
11:00 p. m.—Last-Minute News.
11:02 p. m.—Wardman Park Dance Orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—George Olsen's Orchestra.
12:00 (midnight)—Herb Gordon's Orchestra.
12:45-1:00 a. m.—Don Bestor's Orchestra.

WJSV—Columbia Broadcasting Co.
(265.4 Meters. 1,460 Kilocycles.)

7:00 a. m.—Elder Michaux.
8:00 a. m.—Salon Musicale.
8:30 a. m.—Rhythm Kings.
8:45 a. m.—Keeping Up With the Times.
9:00 a. m.—Little Jack Little.
9:15 a. m.—Miniatures.
9:30 a. m.—Tony Wons.
9:45 a. m.—Merrymakers.
10:00 a. m.—Warren Sweeney.
10:15 a. m.—Frank Crumit and Julia Sanderson.
10:45 a. m.—Melody Parade.
11:00 a. m.—The Captivators.
11:15 a. m.—Wesleyan University Glee Clubs.
11:30 a. m.—Chop Suey.
11:45 a. m.—Ben Alley, tenor.
12:00 (noon)—Miniatures.
12:15 p. m.—H. B. Derr.
12:30 p. m.—Concert Miniatures.
12:45 p. m.—Uncle Sam's Reindeers.
1:00 p. m.—George Hall Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—Musicale.
2:00 p. m.—Fred Berrens' Orchestra.
2:30 p. m.—Round Towners.
2:45 p. m.—Rhythm Kings.
3:00 p. m.—Salon Orchestra.
3:45 p. m.—Alex Semmler, pianist.
4:00 p. m.—Grab Bag.
4:30 p. m.—U. S. Army Band.
5:00 p. m.—Miniatures.
5:15 p. m.—Today and Yesterday in the Headlines.
5:30 p. m.—Skippy.
5:45 p. m.—Lone Wolf Tribe.
6:00 p. m.—Irene Beasley.
6:15 p. m.—On the Air Tonight.
6:20 p. m.—Don Redman Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Edna Rush, contralto.
7:00 p. m.—Myrt and Marge.
7:15 p. m.—Keeping Up With Events.
7:30 p. m.—Three X Sisters, Paul Specht's Orchestra.
7:45 p. m.—Cornie Boswell.
8:00 p. m.—Edwin C. Hill, "The Human Side of the News."
8:15 p. m.—Singin' Sam.
8:30 p. m.—March of Time.
9:00 p. m.—Jack Denny Orchestra.
9:15 p. m.—William Hall, baritone.
9:30 p. m.—To the Ladies.
10:00 p. m.—Chesterfield Program, Arthur Tracy, the Street Singer.
10:15 p. m.—Easy Aces.
10:30 p. m.—Revue.
11:00 p. m.—Nino Martini, tenor, with Howard Barlow's Symphony Orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—Globe Trotter.
11:45 p. m.—Eddie Duchin Orchestra.
12:00 (midnight)—Ben Pollack Orchestra.
1:00 a. m.—Kerrie Cumming Orchestra.
1:45 a. m.—Hal Kemp Orchestra.

WMAL—Washington Radio Forum.
(475.9 Meters. 630 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—Band Box Review.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions, Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, Rev. Russel J. Clinchy, pastor.
8:30 p. m.—Homer L. Kitt, Organ Recital.
9:00 a. m.—Opening the Morning's Mail.
9:30 a. m.—Ray Miller's Orchestra.
9:45 a. m.—Sophocles Papas, guitarist.
10:00 a. m.—Ben Nale's Orchestra.
10:15 a. m.—Alice B. Harver, pianist.
10:30 p. m.—Knockout Reilly and Manager McCann.
10:45 a. m.—School of Cookery.
11:00 a. m.—Janet Coon, whistler.
11:15 a. m.—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra.
11:30 a. m.—James E. Lee, tenor.
11:45 a. m.—Smart Set.
12:00 (noon)—Robert Ruckman, organist.
12:30 p. m.—Tommy Myles Orchestra.
1:00 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
1:15 p. m.—Nell Lewis Stafford, readings.
1:30 p. m.—"This and That."
1:45 p. m.—Myra Marshall, soprano, with Elizabeth Gardner Coombs, pianist.
2:00 p. m.—Cuban Masqueraders.
2:30 p. m.—Cafe Accordionist.
2:45 p. m.—Salon Orchestra.
3:15 p. m.—Matinee Artists.
3:30 p. m.—Jolly Fellows.
4:00 p. m.—Nan Murray Daugherty, soprano.
4:15 p. m.—Chats With the Weatherman.
4:28 p. m.—"The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe," talk by William A. Roberts.
4:30 p. m.—Afternoon Tea Ensemble.
5:00 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
5:15 p. m.—Santa Claus Program.
5:30 p. m.—Crazy Capers.
5:45 p. m.—News Flashes.
6:00 p. m.—In a Song Shop.
6:15 p. m.—Rose Sokol, soprano.
6:30 p. m.—Robert E. Clark, trombonist.
6:45 p. m.—Janet and Grace.
7:00 p. m.—Abilio Martin's Concert Orchestra.
7:30 p. m.—Charlie Chan, Detective Drama.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Serenaders.
8:30 p. m.—Eugene L. Dahl, tenor.
8:45 p. m.—"The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe."
9:00 p. m.—Rawley C. Donohoe, barytone.
9:15 p. m.—Robert Ruckman, organist, with Howard Moore, baritone.
10:00 p. m.—The Festilion — Late News from The Washington Post.
10:18 p. m.—National Dance Marathon.
10:30 p. m.—Lotus Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—Norman Goldman's Rezal Orchestra.
11:30 p. m.—Tommy Myles Club Prudhom Orchestra.

WOL—American Broadcasting Co.
(229 Meters. 1,310 Kilocycles.)

7:00 a. m.—Musical Clock.
9:55 a. m.—Police Flashes.
10:00 a. m.—Male Harmonies.
10:15 a. m.—Accordion Aces.
10:30 a. m.—Your Musical Favorites.
11:00 a. m.—Beauty Hints by Bertha Parker.
11:05 a. m.—Nat Shilkret Music.
11:30 a. m.—Along Theater Row.
12:00 (noon)—Costumers.
12:30 p. m.—Luncheon Concert.
3:00 p. m.—Variety Hour.
3:30 p. m.—World Book Man.
4:00 p. m.—Adventure Club.
4:15 p. m.—National Hawaiians.
4:30 p. m.—Salon Musicale.
4:45 p. m.—Once Upon a Time.
5:00 p. m.—Something for Every One.
6:00 p. m.—"Indian Legends," by Ranico Hawk.
6:15 p. m.—Emile Simon.
6:30 p. m.—"Lady Fingers," by Myrtle Case.
6:45 p. m.—Margaret Gilligan, vocals.
7:00 p. m.—Dinner Concert.
7:30 p. m.—News Spotlight.
7:30 p. m.—WOL Varieties.
8:00 p. m.—Symphonic Hour.

WBAL—Baltimore—1,060 Kilocycles. (Independent Operation.)

7:30 a. m.—Don Hall Trio.
7:45 a. m.—Jolly Bill and Jane.
8:00 a. m.—King Kill, Kare.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions.
8:30 a. m.—The Pepper Pot.
9:00 a. m.—Vic and Sade.
9:45 a. m.—Nothing But the Truth.
10:00 a. m.—Shopping With Nancy Turner.
10:15 a. m.—Clara, Lu 'n' Em.
10:30 a. m.—Our Daily Food.
10:45 a. m.—Happy Jack.
11:00 a. m.—Christmas Oratorio by Bach.
12:00 (noon)—Smackout.
12:15 p. m.—Farm Hints.
12:30 p. m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
1:30 p. m.—Van and Don.
1:45 p. m.—Harold Stokes Orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—Poetry Recital.
2:15 p. m.—Words and Music.
2:30 p. m.—Soloist.
2:45 p. m.—Concert Petite.
3:00 p. m.—Betty and Bob.
3:15 p. m.—United States Marine Band.

(760 Kilocycles. Synchronized Operation WBAL-WJZ. Tune WBAL on WJZ Dial Setting.)

4:00 p. m. to 12 (midnight)—Programs same as WJZ.

WJZ—New York (760 Kilocycles).

5:15 p. m.—Dessert Romance.
5:30 p. m.—The Singing Lady.
5:45 p. m.—Orphan Annie.
6:00 p. m.—Del Lampe's Orchestra.
6:15 p. m.—Johnny Hart, Hollywood.
6:30 p. m.—Betty Boop.
6:45 p. m.—Lowell Thomas.
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—Impersonations.
7:30 p. m.—Charlie Chan, detective.
8:00 p. m.—Phil Spitalny Orchestra.
8:30 p. m.—Adventures in Health.
8:45 p. m.—Howard Thurston, magic.
9:00 p. m.—First Nighter.
9:30 p. m.—Eddie and Ralph.
10:00 p. m.—Country Doctor, sketch.
10:15 p. m.—Otto Fasell, tenor.
10:30 p. m.—Shields' Concert Orchestra.
10:45 p. m.—Mildred Bailey, songs.
11:00 p. m.—"Mrs. Nasby."
11:15 p. m.—Lew White Night Song.
12:00 (midnight)—Cab Calloway Orchestra.
12:15 a. m.—Howard Thurston.
12:30 a. m.—Gus Van and Furst Orchestra.

WLW—Cincinnati—700 Kilocycles.

6:00 p. m.—"Oklahoma Bob" Albright.
6:15 p. m.—Old Man Sunshine.
6:30 p. m.—Bob Newhall, Mail Pouch Sportsman.
6:45 p. m.—Lowell Thomas.
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—Gene and Glenn.
7:30 p. m.—"Chandu," the Magician.
7:45 p. m.—Detectives Black and Blue.
8:00 p. m.—San Felice Program.
8:15 p. m.—The Puddle Family.
8:30 p. m.—Horlick's Program.
9:00 p. m.—Tony Cabooch.
9:15 p. m.—Alice Remsen and Orchestra.
9:30 p. m.—Artists' Bureau Program.
10:00 p. m.—Friday Varieties.
10:30 p. m.—Jan Garber's Dance Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—Chime Reveries.
12:00 (midnight)—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—Larry Funk's Orchestra.
1:00 a. m.—Fats Waller.
1:15 a. m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
1:45 a. m.—And So to Bed.

12 EXPERT RADIO MEN $1
ALWAYS READY
STAR RADIO Co.
409 11TH ST. DISTRICT 4700

WE REPAIR ANY $ RADIO 1
TUBES-PARTS-EXTRA
STAR RADIO Co.
409 11TH ST., DISTRICT 4700

DICK TRACY—The Informer

DISGUISED IN THE TAXI DRIVER'S UNIFORM, TRACY CONTINUES THE PURSUIT AFTER LARCENY LU'S GANG WHEN HIS CAB IS HALTED BY A STOP LIGHT. WHILE WAITING FOR THE GREEN LIGHT, WHO SHOULD HAIL THE CAB BUT "BUGGS", ONE OF LU'S GANG, WHO HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO "WATCH FOR COPS."
YEAH, THAT'S WHAT I SAID—THIS CAB IS ENGAGED.
OH IT IS, IS IT? WELL, LISTEN CABBIE—YOU'RE GONNA CATCH A POLICE CAR. THAT'S HEADED FOR THE TOWN OF CROSSVILLE, UNDERSTAND? I'VE GOT THE ARGUMENT HERE IN MY POCKET. SEE—NOW SHOVE!
YEAH?
NOW KEEP DOWN THERE IN THE BOTTOM OF THE CAR, YOU! I THOUGHT I RECOGNIZED YOU AS ONE OF LU'S HOODLUMS WHEN YOU CAME UP TO THE CAB—A POLICE CAR—HEADED FOR CROSSVILLE, EH? SO THAT'S WHERE THAT DAME IS GOIN' IN MY CAR?
12-23

MINUTE MOVIES

(All rights protected by the George Matthew Adams Service. Trade Mark Registered U. S. Patent Office.)

By Ed Wheelan

WHEELAN SERIAL
JACK AND THE BEAN-STALK
PART II
WITH THE HEN UNDER HIS ARM JACK RAN AND RAN THRU THE SKIES UNTIL HE REACHED THE TOP OF THE BEAN-STALK
QUICK-LY HE CLIMBED DOWN THE GREAT STALK
WHEN HE HAD ARRIVED AT HIS HOME HE SHOWED THE WONDER-FUL HEN TO HIS AMAZED MOTHER
I STOLE HER FROM THE WICKED GIANT WHO LIVES IN THE SKY AND WHO KILLED MY FA-THER!! JUST LOOK, MOTHER, SHE LAYS GOLDEN EGGS!!
?
WE SHALL SOON BE RICH, MOTHER DEAR, AND YOU WILL NO LONGER HAVE TO WORRY!!
MY BRAVE BOY, HOW PROUD I AM OF YOU!!
BUT AS THE DAYS PASSED JACK COULD NOT FORGET WHAT THE GOOD FAIRY HAD TOLD HIM
SHE SAID THAT I MUST PUNISH THAT WICKED GIANT!!
SO ONE DAY JACK DISGUISED HIMSELF SO THAT THE GIANT'S WIFE WOULD NOT RE-COGNIZE HIM AND AGAIN CLIMBED THE BEANSTALK
SEE WHAT HAPPENS TO OUR HERO IN PART TWELVE TO-MOR-ROW!!
12-28

THE GUMPS

Follow the Gumps in the Colored Comic Section of The Sunday Post

Have a Heart

WHAT A CIRCUS BIM IS HAVING WITH THE GUMPS—THEY HAVE FALLEN FOR EVERY BIT OF HIS STORY—AND THINK HE IS BROKE FLAT—AND ON THEIR HANDS—
JUST LOOK AT THAT OLD GRIP OF HIS—IT'S A REGULAR GERM BREEDER—
NIX-MIN-WILL YOU KEEP QUIET, HE CAN HEAR YOU—
WHEN YOU WANT TO LEARN HOW POPULAR YOU ARE—JUST TRY BIM'S SCHEME—AND TELL PEOPLE YOU'VE LOST ALL YOUR MONEY—
JUST LOOK AT THAT OLD CAR—LEAVES IT STANDING RIGHT IN FRONT OF OUR HOUSE—WHAT WILL THE NEIGHBORS THINK?
WELL—HE'S MY UNCLE—WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO—THROW HIM OUT?
DON'T ENCOURAGE HIM TO STAY—HE'LL BE ON YOUR HANDS FOREVER—
WELL-FOLKS—I DON'T KNOW HOW I CAN EVER REPAY YOU FOR GIVING ME SHELTER—NOW THAT I'M DOWN AND OUT—
WELL—IT'S A PITY YOU DIDN'T SAVE SOME OF YOUR MONEY FOR YOUR OLD AGE—YOU CERTAINLY HAD ENOUGH OF IT—
NIX-NOW, MIN-NIX!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.—Copyright, 1932, by The Chicago Tribune.

GASOLINE ALLEY

Don't miss this feature in colors in The Sunday Post

Clean-Up Week

CORKY, WHAT ON EARTH!
I JES' CLEANED OUT THE FIREPLACE SO SANTA CLAUS WON'T GET DIRTY.
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.—Copyright, 1932, by The Chicago Tribune.

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER

See the Winkle Family in colors in The Sunday Post

Something in Store for Them

WHAT!! NO CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TODAY, FAWTHAW??
NOPE! EVERYTHING IS BOUGHT! I'VE GOT EVERYTHING I NEED!!
ALL I'VE GOTTA DO NOW IS SEND OUT TH' BILLS FOR MY GIFTS TO ALL TH' FRIENDS AN' RELATIONS, AN' LET THEM PAY 'EM! SOME IDEA, EH?
YES—SOME IDEA!!
AREN'T YOU POSITIVELY ASHAMED OF YOURSELF TO BUY YOUR OWN PRESENTS AND THEN SEND ALL THOSE PEOPLE THE BILLS TO PAY?
BY GOSH, YOU'RE RIGHT, WINNIE!!
I THINK I'LL LET TH' STORES SEND 'EM TH' BILLS!!
Dec. 23
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.—Copyright, 1932, by The Chicago Tribune.

Dial Flashes

By ROBERT D. HEINL.

POLICE authorities all over the country having struggled with the problem without success, the Federal Government is now giving serious consideration to the question of preventing crooks from intercepting police radio alarms. Many cities, including Washington, report that criminals have kept up with the police by providing themselves with short wave receiving sets in their automobiles.

Thus the lawbreakers are constantly informed as to the movements of police scout cars. This was the case in Minneapolis recently. A bank on the edge of the city was held up and robbed of $30,000. A lookout for the gang, by means of a short wave receiver installed in his car, picked up the police alarm as it was broadcast.

When the police car arrived, manned by two policemen, a bandit greeted it with a shower of bullets from a submachine gun. One policeman was killed almost instantly and the other fatally wounded. This cleared the way for the escape of the bandits.

HOWEVER, it was not the Minneapolis but the Indianapolis police who caused the first Federal action to be taken in the matter. Complaints were made to Representative Louis Ludlow, of Indiana, that criminals were constantly defeating the efforts of police radio there. So yesterday Representative Ludlow introduced a bill in the House offering an amendment to the radio act, which, roughly, would provide heavy penalties for the utilization of radio police messages for criminal purposes.

Mr. Ludlow isn't satisfied with this bill, however, because it puts the burden of proof on the Government. He doesn't know but that it might not be better to make it mandatory that anyone having a short wave set in his automobile be required to have a Federal permit for it. This would cause tremendous additional work and considerable expense to the Federal Radio Commission, if it were required to issue these permits. Yet it plainly would be a Federal, rather than a municipal, function.

There are many legal and practical difficulties involved, but Mr. Ludlow hopes to hear from police authorities of the country on the subject, and that there may be a practical solution of the problem.

THE series of talks which Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, wife of the President-elect, is making on the Pond's program, will bring her to the microphone at 9:30 o'clock tonight.

Jake and Lena raised $12,000 for the poor and needy at a Christmas benefit in Cleveland. At a huge gathering at the Cleveland Auditorium they put on a special broadcast which lasted from midnight until 6 o'clock in the morning.

Al Jolson, who will sing again tonight in the Chevrolet series, will repeat "Brother, Can You Spare a Dime?" (WRC, 10 o'clock). Other numbers selected by Jolson are "Say It Ain't So," "Avalon," "California, Here I Come" and "Pickaninnies' Heaven."

CAPT. TAYLOR BRANSON, leader of the Marine Band, who has brought joy to so many throughout the country with his "Shut-In Hour" programs (Thursdays, WRC, 11:45 a. m.), was himself a "Shut-In" listener last Thursday.

Capt. Branson had only a slight attack of the flu, but it was enough to keep him in bed and to help him understand more fully why the fan mail has been doubling and tripling.

K. H. Berkeley, of WRC, reports that the response to the Marine Band "Shut-In" program is greater than ever before, and it is now being heard over more stations than at any time since the program was established.

Henrik de Leeuw, Dutch traveler, lecturer and writer, who has lived for many years in the Far East, Borneo and Malaya, will begin a series of talks over WRC at 3:30 p. m. today during the Woman's Radio Review.

THE personality of Jessica Dragonette is reflected in her beautiful Christmas card. It is daintily printed on parchment in bright red and gold, and bears the words and music of the first verse of "O, Little Town of Bethlehem."

Miss Dragonette's Christmas program will be heard tonight (WRC, 8 o'clock).

THE chain stores are overlooking a big opportunity in their broadcasts, "They ought to advise people to eat oxtails," comments George W. Wharton, of 4812 Thirtieth street northwest, by way of adding to holiday gayety. "This would make ends meet."

Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians will make their first radio appearance over the WEAF network, including Station WTAM (but not WRC), at 12:15 a. m. Fred Waring was on the air with the Roxy Theater Orchestra several months ago but this is the initial appearance of the Pennsylvanians. Ken Murray, comedian, will be master of ceremonies.

PHIL DEWEY was one of eleven children—seven girls and four boys. His father organized them into a band to play music for country dances in Indiana . . . Rosario Bourdon's mother was a gifted pianist and his father barytone soloist at the Church of Notre Dame, Montreal . . . Phil Ohman, of the piano duo, Ohman and Arden, is the son of a Swedish minister.

We have developed to the point where we are using fingerprints even in commercial work, as a means of personal identification. Already this is being done with Postal Savings accounts by the United States Government.

"But we have a much more easily handled means through identification by the human voice," declares O. H. Caldwell, former Federal Radio Commissioner. "For instance, identification in connection with a cash register by means of a voice impression upon an electronic tube and associated mechanism, or upon a retail door lock mechanism to identify the person opening the store, is well within the range of possibility.

"The control of certain types of fuel could be easily applied according to the noise the fuel makes in issuing from the burners. The movements of parts can be controlled according to the noises of the parts or according to the variation in volume of a predetermined sound, such as a whistle controlled by the movements of those parts."

Band Concert

U. S. MARINE BAND ORCHESTRA.
Marine Barracks Auditorium at 3 p. m.

March, "Bay State Commandery" . . . Burrell
Excerpts from "Chimes of Normandy" . . . Planquette
Overture, "Sicilian Vespers" . . . Verdi
Characteristic, "Parade in the Fairy Woods" . . . Noack
Trumpet Solo, "The Last Chord" . . . Sullivan
Tone Poem, "Finlandia" . . . Sibelius
Hungarian Dances No. 5 and 6 . . . Brahms
Marines' Hymn, "The Halls of Montezuma"
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

TONIGHT
5 STAR THEATRE
CHARLIE CHAN
Mystery "The Black Camel" by Earl Derr Biggers
WMAL . . 7:30 P. M.
5 STAR THEATRE { WMAL 7:30 P. M. every Mon., Wed. and Fri. / WJSV 10:00 P. M. every Tues. and Thurs.
SPONSORED BY STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF NEW JERSEY

HOOVER SEES SPIRIT VALUE OF SCIENCES

President Writes Search for Truth Is Certain to Uplift Mankind.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—President Hoover sees a spiritual value in science in a foreword written for the January Scientific Monthly which precedes a review of the scientific work of the United States Government.

The science accomplishments are described by Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde and Dr. A. F. Woods, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

"Nor should it be unremarked," the President states, "that a spiritual value accrues to all this labor, for science rsquires a degree of unselfishness and devotion which calls out the finest qualities of the human spirit, and, since its goal is truth, the noblest aspiration of mankind."

At the start of the foreword the President writes:

"The insatiable curiosity of the human mind to probe the mysteries of nature through scientific research into the operation of natural laws has resulted in such wealth of new inventions and new products, so satisfying to material needs of the people, that the world is irrevocably committed to an eternal quest of further truth, with certainty of endless and ever more rapid change as new knowledge is translated into new conveniences and comforts.

"The social relations of mankind have already been altered by these changes beyond the utmost imagination of our forefathers. Further and more revolutionary changes will be wrought.

" * * * Federal Government itself long ago sensed the potentialities of science when it gave official status to the Smithsonian Institution. * * * Science is also recognized and encouraged by the Federal Government in the researches of the Department of Agriculture in biology, entomology and other fields; and similarly in other departments which promote research. Thus the Government still does, and increasingly should, lead the way by example toward the discovery of new knowledge to free mankind from ignorance, superstition, needless fears and poverty."

FIRE RUINS REVEAL YEGGMEN'S CACHE

Continued from Page 1.

trial, charged with selling narcotics. Chief Justice A. A. Wheat, acting on the motion of Harry T. Whelan, prosecuting counsel, removed a juror from the box and declared the case a mistrial. Killian was arrested last June by Federal narcotic agents, who declared they found a quantity of narcotics at the Pennsylvania avenue address. The case is to be placed on the court docket for trial at the next term.

The whereabouts of the man was said to be known only to his father. His attorneys and his bondsmen told the court they had been unable to locate him in asking for a continuance of his case. They explained that the man was ill and it was not believed he was trying to escape trial.

Fire Marshal Calvin G. Lauber, investigating the fire from the angle of incendiarism, said last night that, even in the light of the new developments, his investigation would be declared closed. It was fully established, he said, that the blaze had its origin in a lighted cigarette carelessly dropped on the bed on which Killian was sleeping.

Exchange of Apprentices Urged.

Rome, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—A permanent committee for the exchange of apprentices with other countries has been established by the government, under the jurisdiction of the ministry of corporations. The committee will seek agreements with foreign countries, including the United States, toward this end.

Puerto Ricans Scorn U. S. Flag.

San Juan, Puerto Rico, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Two hundred delegates attending a local Nationalist convention at Rio Piedras last night adjourned to another place and time when they discovered that the council room of the City Hall, where they had gathered, was decorated with the American flag.

WRAPPED UP IN HIS WORK

Boris Karloff, Lon Chaney's successor as head make-up man of the films, as he appears in the role of Im-Ho-Tep, who comes back to life after 3,400 years in "The Mummy," the unique film play with which the Rialto resumes its season on Christmas.

ABOUT THE SHOWSHOPS

With NELSON B. BELL

At least a few of the representatives of the press—or perhaps misrepresentatives is the word—who availed themselves of the opportunity to preview "The Half Naked Truth" under the helpful auspices of Manager Hardie Meakin of RKO-Keith's last Tuesday midnight, were startlingly reminded of one or two of the more revolutionary publicity stunts pulled off during his brilliantly highlighted career by the late Harry Reichenbach, the "silver king," filmdom's most artful practitioner of ballyhoo and master of hokum's gentle nuances.

Since "The Half Naked Truth" is a translation—a somewhat free translation, to be sure—of David Freedman's "Phantom Fame," this was, of course, to have been expected. But to one who knew Harry Reichenbach fairly well during a decade of publicizing screen entertainment by slightly less spectacular means, it came as a bit of a surprise to find Harry's method, if not his manner, so rigidly followed by Lee Tracy in his pursuit of preferment and fame for Lupe Velez, the carnival company's best "ecoch" dancer.

Things are no more than fairly under way when we see the lion-in-the-hotel-room stunt that Master Reichenbach rigged up for the benefit of one of the early Tarzan pictures. A little later comes along the "Nudists' colony" gag. All in the approved technique of the great Reichenbach.

But, I take it, it must be that Lee Tracy never knew Harry Reichenbach—else he certainly never would shout his plans all over the lot like that. There was nothing of the steam calliope about Harry. He was always miles away before anyone ever suspected that he had been connected with those wild news stories that broke the New York front pages with such regularity until the Fourth Estate—and once or twice the police—got onto his curves. But by that time he had his and was able to branch out into international politics and commercial lines.

All of which is hopelessly aside from the point that "The Half Naked Truth," coming along shortly, will be enjoyed most by those who knew Harry Reichenbach best. It is a roaring, rowdy, rollicking and ridiculous story of the carnival lots and the Broadway musical comedy and revue racket that will pack the biggest wallop for those nearest the show game, but will be found to contain a good deal of fun for 'most anybody.

My chief complaint against it would be that it seems a trifle out of season.

The first thought was that his Christmas shoplifting had left Eddie Gilmore, the Harry Reichenback of Loew's Fox Theater, cutting out paper dolls and asking himself foolish riddles, but on more mature consideration it seems there is an idea somewhere there in the item that begins:

"Will you swap the recitation of a poem for a free admission to Loew's Fox Theater?"

Sounds like getting something "for a song." That, as a matter of fact, is more or less what it is, except that the process has been simplified to the extent of omitting the tune.

The whole idea seems to be Manager Roscoe R. Drissel's and has a special significance for those who are acquainted with Ernest Dowson's famous poem of "Cynara" and know it well enough to recite it letter-perfectly. Anyone who can do this, will receive a free guest ticket to witness United Artists' film, "Cynara," the current feature at the Fox with Ronald Colman, Kay Francis, Phyllis Barry and Henry Stephenson in the principal roles.

There are no strings attached to this offer! All you have to do is tell the doorman that you want to recite "Cynara." You will then be conducted before Mr. Drissel, who does not know the poem by heart, but will have it before him, and he will listen to your effort, hoping, no doubt, that you will get all balled up so he won't have to give away any tickets! In case you don't, that is all there is to it, in you go as guest of the management.

By a last-minute switch in bookings for the week beginning Friday, December 30, the Earle Theater will not present Edmund Lowe and Wynne Gibson, in "The Devil Driving," as was originally intended, but Ruth Chatterton, in "Frisco Jenny," instead.

In "Frisco Jenny," Miss Chatterton is said once again to have a screen story somewhere nearly commensurate with her ability as an actress. In fact, they say that not since "Madam X" has Miss Chatterton had a story containing so much suspense, romance, fire and passion. In the cast are Donald Cook, James Murray, Louis Calhern, Helen Jerome Eddy and Willard Robertson.

What! No George Brent?

Although unable, even after all that planning, to be present, I am informed that the Maxim Lowe auditions at the Shoreham yesterday resulted in a tie between Mary Stephanson and Mildred Cherot for the distinction of being the featured vocalist with Bert Bernath's Orchestra in the Shoreham Supper Club.

Miss Stephanson and Miss Cherot, so I am told, are artistes of totally different styles and methods, but about equal voltage in the matter of audience appeal. So they will both be tried out with the orchestra Saturday night and the public will be permitted to make their own selection of which they prefer.

Life, it seems, is getting more complicated every day—as either of them probably will tell you.

Bebe Daniels, since you ask, as a platinum blonde, all done up in the quaint styles of President McKinley's day, or earlier, in her first scenes in "Silver Dollar," at the Metropolitan, looks like the title multiplied by a million. So utterly disarming is Miss Daniels in a role that by every tradition of playwriting ought to be distinctly distasteful—you know, the good-looking gal that comes along and breaks up the not-so-good-looking wife's home?—that one finds his regret similarly multiplied that it has been such a long time no see.

A notable group of church-drama players of the Capital City will this season appear in the leading roles in the presentation of Washington's Christmas legend, "The Other Wise Man," at Luther Place Memorial Church, for four consecutive evenings immediately following Christmas—December 26, 27, 28 and 29. Maurice Jarvis, Katherine Briggs, Thomas M. Cahill and Arthur Bradley White are among those of prominence who will take part.

For this performance only, the deadline has been substituted for a last line—and I wouldn't kid you!

PAYMENTS ON BOND DEBTS YEAR AHEAD

Prince Georges County Told School System Condition Is Excellent.

Prince Georges County is more than a year ahead in its payments on its sinking fund, in spite of a recent reduction in the interest paid on these funds, citizens are assurred in the report of the auditor for the year ended July 31, 1932.

The next payments are those on the Hyattsville School, due in May, 1934, and there are already sufficient funds on deposit to retire these bonds without further additions to the sinking fund, the auditor reports. Not only are these payments assured, but all other sinking fund payments will be ample to retire their bonds, despite the reduction in interest rates from 4 to 3 per cent. The auditor, Elmer L. Hatter, of Baltimore, said that the school system was in excellent financial shape, with a balance of more than $19,000 when the audit was completed.

In the financial statement made up by Nicholas Orem, superintendent of schools, to accompany the auditor's report, it is shown that the county's most expensive elementary school, that at Fairy Springs, was recently closed when it was consolidated. The cost of this school was $97 per pupil, while the average for the county was only $51.

One-room schools, which cost $57 per pupil, are the most expensive of the graded schools, the report shows. Two-room institutions cost only $52 per pupil, while it costs only $45 to educate a child in the larger schools. The average cost in the high schools is much greater, it costing $93 per pupil to furnish more than grade-school education.

Within the various classes, school costs have a wide range from the average. For instance, the average cost of a two-teacher school is $52 per pupil, but at Accokeek the cost per child is $62, while at Ritchie, in the same class, the cost is only $41. Brandywine High School, one of the smaller ones, was the most expensive in its class, with a pupil-cost of $168, while the Laurel High School's cost was less than half, being $75.

8 Louisiana Banks Reopened as One

Hammond, La., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Acting with the cooperation of the State banking department and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, eight State banks of the Tangipahoa and Livingston Parish strawberry belt, which closed their doors earlier this week, reopened this morning as one large institution with headquarters here.

The banks were merged under the name of the Tangipahoa Bank & Trust Co., with the former Hammond State Bank & Trust Co. designated as the parent institution.

NEW CINEMA OFFERINGS

METROPOLITAN

"SILVER DOLLAR." First National picturization of a screen play by Carl Erickson and Harvey Thew, based on the book by David Karsner, starring Edward G. Robinson, with Aline McMahon, Bebe Daniels, Dr. Wilt Jennings, Emmett Corrigan, Russell Simpson, Robert Warwick, Niles Welch and scores more. Directed by Alfred E. Green. Previewed Thursday night.

By NELSON B. BELL.

Lacking something of the closely knit narrative necessary in its early sequences to create the impressive sweep, the relentless grip and the surging inevitability of epic drama, this unusual screen play soon resolves itself into the engrossingly picturesque and dramatic biography of an authentic figure in early Colorado history, at once amusing, visionary, powerful and pathetic.

In the character of Yates Martin, its pivotal figure, "Silver Dollar" presents the tragic spectacle of a man successively prospector, storekeeper, grubstaker and multimillionaire, flung to the heights of social and political power by forces greater than he could understand and as suddenly swept from his pedestal back into the obscurity and penury from which he had sprung. There has been no finer screen exposition. I think, of the pranks America has been able to play upon the individual in its mushroom growth from a vast wilderness into a mighty Nation, subject to the immutable laws of an abstruse economic scheme.

There is, of course, a constantly recurrent note of actuality in the developments of the story, because it is founded in large measure on fact and deals with some accuracy with the events that transformed the little camp of St. Charles, Colorado, into the thriving city of Denver.

The episodes of the film reproduce with fair fidelity much that happened immediately following the silver rush to Leadville and the creation of a silver kingdom that was overthrown only by the later encroachment of gold as the standard of international monetary measure.

There is, therefore, a steady flow of colorful, romantic and exciting incident in which the central character always is the fatalistic toy of circumstance who gives away fortunes, builds $100,000 homes, presents the city with a $1,000,000 theater—the Tabor Grand Opera House, I believe, still stands in Denver as a monument to a similar generosity—the Government with a priceless site for a post-office and reiterates to his wives a constant promise that he and they will go to their final rest in solid silver caskets.

It is part of the picture's tragic irony that this prophesy was made to come true for him, once more a pauper, while his shrewish first wife and more lovely second stood by and wept in understanding silence.

Important figures in history are vital characters in the story—Gen. Grant, President Arthur, William Jennings Bryan and others. They are sufficiently well played to lend the scenes in which they appear some of the virtues of verisimilitude.

Edward G. Robinson contributes an enthusiastic, a gusty and a fine impersonation of Yates Martin, the man who rose from first Mayor of Denver to lieutenant governor of his State and U. S. senator for a brief term—long enough to have the President of the United States decline his proffer of a friendly drink, a suggestion that came naturally to the man who had presided over the first sessions of the State Senate in the bar of the sumptuous hotel he had built. The Brown Palace, I believe, still stands in Denver, too. Mr. Robinson's performance in this meaty role will do much to erase memories of "Tiger Shark" and "The Hatchet Man," even dimming "Little Caesar."

Aline McMahon, as the first Mrs. Martin, and Bebe Daniels, as the blonde enchantress whose more demonstrative love quickly won Martin's undivided interest, render excellent and sharply contrasted support. Jobyna Howland has the merest bit as the traditional pioneeress, "Poker Annie."

Preceding the screening of the feature—which, by the way, is ably directed and splendidly photographed—the Paramount News and a "Merrie Melodie" cartoon, "The Shanty Where Santa Claus Lives," were unreeled to the delight of those present.

Last night's single invitational preview performance was in compliment to the Colorado State Society of Washington. The regular run of "Silver Dollar" begins at the Metropolitan this morning.

RKO-KEITH'S

"THE SPORT PARADE." RKO-Radio picturization of the story by Jerry Horwin, adapted by Corey Ford and Francis Cockrell, featuring Marian Marsh, William Gargan and Joel McCrea, with Walter Catlett and "Skeets" Gallagher. Directed by Dudley Murphy. Additional dialogue by Robert Benchley. Reviewed Thursday night by M. A. McKavitt.

If you are a sport enthusiast (and even you aren't) and you want to enjoy a review of several kinds of athletic endeavor, between which a rather good love story is interlaced, while seeing the silversheet once more celebrate that clean sportsmanship learned at college, then go to RKO-Keith's before Sunday. "The Sport Parade" is to be shown for only three days, of which today is the second.

Another famous pair of collegiate sporting heroes, Brown and Baker, are the central figures. The boys are pals. Brown writes sports articles for the Bulletin, where we find him on the sports editor desk after graduation from dear old Dartmouth. Baker disregards his boy friend's advice and under the guiding inspiration of Manager Morrison, goes into professional football, which he discovers is a far cry from the clean-cut collegiate brand of sport.

After he learns that Morrison wants him, to play crooked football, Baker quits and his old running mate gives him a job on the Bulletin. The twin columns captioned "Brown to Baker" come to life and then the omnipresent member of the opposite sex steps into the picture.

Irene is Johnny Brown's sweetheart, and, of course, Baker and Irene begin to cover games together. From this on plenty of interesting things happen, one of which is the drubbing Baker gives to Muller, a tough member of the mat game—that slssy pastime facitiously called "wrestling."

In spite of the fact that the picture is rather slow paced for this type of story, it is enjoyable entertainment. Charlie Ruggles has a keen rival in the portrayal of an inebriated sports announcer. William Gargan outshines Joel McCrea. Marian Marsh as Irene, the "rib" of masculine contention, turns in an effective piece of work. We have, like the stag at eve, just about had our fill of Walter Catlett's "cheap" impresario roles. "Skeets" Gallagher has a better part than usual in this screen drama.

We washed the main attraction down with a hilarious concoction—a "Masquers" comedy, "Tulips and Julips;" an interesting Pathe Review release and the Pathe News. Hollywood's fun-loving troupers, The Masquers, put over a great show this time.

The entire bill is light and should prove a happy selection for pre-Christmas show-going.

Short Holiday Keeps Legislators in Capital

(Associated Press.)

The short Christmas recess has caused even members of Congress from nearby Virginia to stay here for the holidays.

With adjournment put off until today and the expectation of having to return to work Tuesday, Representatives Montague and Bland decided to remain in Washington. Others debated whether to make brief excursions home. However, a few, including Senator Glass and Representatives Fishburne, Burch and Flood, planned to leave today.

FILM TIME TABLES

Feature pictures are presented on the following schedule at the theaters named:

Metropolitan—"Silver Dollar," at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:36 p. m.

Loew's Fox—"Cynara," at 10:45 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:26, 3:15, 6:05 and 8:55 p. m.

Earle—"Lawyer Man," at 11:20 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:25 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 12:50, 3:40, 6:25 and 8:55 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"The Sport Parade," at 11 a. m., 12:52, 2:44, 4:36, 6:07, 7:59 and 9:50 p. m.

Palace—"Mme. Butterfly," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Tivoli—"Hot Saturday," at 2:35, 4:20, 6:05, 7:55 and 9:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Payment Deferred," at 6:15, 8 and 9:45 p. m.

AMUSEMENTS AMUSEMENTS

Christmas Greetings and THE VERY BEST of GOOD WISHES from LOEW'S WASHINGTON THEATRES!

Loew's FOX 25¢ TO 1 P.M. THEATRE OF THE STARS

NOW

This IS THE GREATEST SHOW EVER OFFERED IN WASHINGTON . . . !

Ronald COLMAN in "Cynara" (Pronounced SIN-ARA)

with KAY FRANCIS PHYLLIS BARRY

a UNITED ARTISTS PICTURE

"I HAVE BEEN FAITHFUL TO THEE, CYNARA IN MY FASHION"

and WHAT A STAGE SHOW!

Lina BASQUETTE & CO.

BUCK & BUBBLES

Bert FROHMAN "The PRINCE of PEP"

GAUTIER'S TOY SHOP PONY DOG SHOW Extra Added Attraction ARTHUR L. LAKE FLORENCE "Fresh" FROM THE SCREEN

Midnite Show! Xmas Nite

Phil LAMPKIN

Extra! MICKEY MOUSE

Loew's PALACE THEATRE OF THE STARS

Extra "SILLY SYMPHONY" "Santa's Toy Shop" in Color

NOW

The WORLD'S UNDYING LOVE STORY . . .

"MADAME BUTTERFLY" with Sylvia SIDNEY CARY GRANT Charlie RUGGLES IRVING PICHEL

A ROMANCE FIRED with the PASSION of the WEST and the ROMANCE of the EAST!

FRIDAY "STRANGE INTERLUDE" At Popular Prices

COMING XMAS DAY!

KARLOFF IN THE MUMMY

IT COMES TO LIFE IN THE STRANGEST LOVE TRIANGLE EVER SCREENED

RIALTO

Loew's COLUMBIA

TODAY

"YALE WAS JUST A BOWL OF CHERRIES FOR THESE HARD-BOILED MUGS WHO MATCHED QUARTERS INSTEAD OF TRAINING IN THEM!"

Victor McLAGLEN in A FOX PICTURE "RACKETY-RAX!" with GRETA NISSEN-ALAN DINEHART

Extra! TOUR CRANE Comedy

Mighty ORCHESTRA 40¢ BALCONY 25¢ CHILDREN 15¢ 25¢ 11 A.M. to 6 P.M.

NATIONAL 26 SEATS NOW

3 Nights BEG. MON. Dec.

ONLY MATINEE WEDNESDAY

The STUDENT PRINCE

Nights, 55c to $2.20 Mat. 55c to $1.65 Including Tax

3 NIGHTS BEG. THUR. D C. 29

ONLY MATINEE SATURDAY

Blossom Time

Nights, 55c to $2.20. Sat. Mat., 55c to $1.65. Tax. Inc. SEATS NOW SELLING.

ELSIE CANNON, LL.M., M.P.L. Law and Patent Reporting National 8469 National Press Building, 3rd Floor

L. L. PERKINS WILL BOND YOU. United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co. Phone National 0913. 1415 K ST. NW.

WASHINGTON HEBREW CONGREGATION 8th st., between H and Eye. REV. DR. ABRAM SIMON Friday, 8 p. m., Sermon, "The 25th of December and the 25th Kislev—A Contrast." Saturday Service, 10:30 a. m.

MEN'S WEAR WEST SINCE 1905

Fruhauf Suits From $30 Sidney West, Inc. 14th & G Sts. EUGENE C. GOTT, President

Union Trust Company South-West Corner 15th and H Streets North West Interest Paid on Checking and Savings Accounts ORD PRESTON President

POST WANT ADS PAY.

WARNER BROS. EARLE

—STARTS TODAY— WILLIAM POWELL JOAN BLONDELL In Warner Bros. Comedy-Romance "LAWYER MAN" —ON STAGE— Tastyeast Jesters NBC Radio Stars and THREE OTHER ACTS

WARNER BROS. METROPOLITAN

STARTS TODAY! Immortal Masterpiece That Surpasses "Cimarron" in Epic Scope and Drama "SILVER DOLLAR" With Cast of Thousands Including EDW. G. ROBINSON BEBE DANIELS ALINE McMAHON —ALSO— SANTA CLAUS CARTOON ALEX GRAY SONG REEL

RKO EITHS 15th & G

LAST 2 DAYS "THE SPORT PARADE" Joel McCrea Marian Marsh Beginning Sunday "HALF-NAKED TRUTH" Lee Tracy Lupe Velez Buy RKO Thrift Books for Christmas

666 LIQUID - TABLETS - SALVE vs. EPIDEMICS Merits Proven During World War.

RESORTS Florida

ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA. Write today for beautiful, illustrated booklet about this "Resort Center of Florida's Gulf Coast." Address A. J. Benderick, Sec'y, Chamber of Commerce.

The Washington Post's Daily Legal Record

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1932.

COURT OF APPEALS.

No session. Adjourned from day to day.

DISTRICT SUPREME COURT.

Note—Court in Christmas recess from close of business Friday, December 23, 1932, until 10 o'clock morning of January 3, 1933.

ASSIGNMENT COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE. Assignment for Friday, December 23: Motions for new trial before Justice Bailey:

Adm. No. 38165. Estate of James Brown. Attys., E. G. Hubert—C. H. Houston.

No. 75769. Totten vs. District Title Insurance Co. Attys., Crandal Mackey, Levi M. David—E. C. Brandenburg, L. M. Demit.

MOTIONS COURT—Mr. Justice O. R. Luhring presiding; William W. Stickney, clerk.

No. 2699. Bankruptcy in re Marie H. Wolford et al.: sale of realty authorized. Attys., Richard D. Daniels—George L. Boswell.

No. 45539. In re dissolution of the new Masonic Hotel Corporation, Inc.: order directing surviving receivers to pay fund into court registry allowing commission and discharging receiver and surety. Attys., Houston & Houston.

No. 2696. Bankruptcy in re Isadore Rosendorf, &c.: discharge ordered. Atty., Leo Schlosberg.

No. 2725. Bankruptcy in re Louise Brewer: discharged ordered. Atty., Leo Schlosberg.

No. 2735 Bankruptcy in re Ralph Summers Rinehart: discharge ordered. Atty., William W. Stewart.

No. 2736 Bankruptcy in re Benjamin Maxwell Rinehart: discharge ordered. Atty., William W. Stewart.

No. 2742. Bankruptcy in re George Plitt: discharge ordered. Atty., Joseph D. Sullivan.

No. 2724. Bankruptcy in re Zachariah Brewer, &c.: discharge ordered. Attys., Whiteford, Marshall & Hat. John J. Carmody.

No. 4084. Lunacy in re Irene V. Cross: committee authorized to place deed of trust on certain property.

No. 51443. Georgia M. Spruill vs. William T. Ballard et al.: motion of defendant William D. Burke to dismiss overruled. Attys., Plaintiff Proper Person—Walter M. Bastian.

No. 54445. Elizabeth N. Longcor vs. Charles C. Longcor: returnable January 3, 1933. Attys., Harlan Wood—Dan S. Rine, W. E. Shore.

No. 55055. John S. Bryan, receiver, vs. William S. Phillips et al.: decree removing William S. Phillips as trustee; appointing Francis W. Hill, jr., trustee, and dismissing petition as to Theodore Michael, trustee. Atty., Francis W. Hill, jr.

No. 55068 Norisse Sales Hopfenmaier vs. Lewis Hopfenmaier 2d: custody of minor child awarded plaintiff with maintenance and counsel fees. Attys., E. Hilton Jackson—Alvin L. Newmyer.

No. 55128. Dora L. vs. Mable E. Rigby et al.: decree for reformation of deed. Atty., James K. Hughes.

No. 55159. Marion L. Webster vs. Florence M. Webster et al.: returnable January 9. Attys., G. P. and Charles Linkins.

No. 55032. Lottie Gold vs. Charles F. Budwarth: motion to dismiss bill granted with leave to amend. Attys., Walter P. Plumley—William Cosser. Philip F. Biggins, J. J. Keehan, James J. Marren.

No. 54736. Dorothy E. Taylor vs. Robert Taylor, jr.: motion for reduction of alimony overruled. Attys., J. M. Boardman—Martin F. O'Donoghue

No. 81763. Louis H. Towbes et al. vs. Isadore Young et al.: motion for better bill of particulars denied. Attys., Edwin Shelton—Milton F. Barrett, Hyman Waldman—.

No. 45873 Amelia Green vs. Jeremiah Green et al.: cause reinstated. Attys., Raymond Neudecker—George E. C. Hayes.

No. 51636 Mary Louise Shearer vs. Harry C. Shearer: motion to suspend payment of maintenance overruled. Attys., Ray Neudecker—John J. O'Brien.

No. 54792. Anastasia La Joe vs. Marcus La Joe: order overruling motion to rescind order for alimony pendente lite. Attys., Ray Neudecker—John J. McGinnis.

No. 55068 David G. Matthews vs. Ruby C. Mathews et al.: order for counsel fee. Attys., Vivian O. Hill—Ray Neudecker.

No. 55082. Edwin Brinkman et al. vs. Vivian Duchring: decree confirming contract and appointing W. Cameron Burton trustee to convey. Attys., A. C. Kiefer, J. E. Ray.

No. 55151. Ruth M. Hardy vs. Roy E. Hardy: alimony and counsel fee pending hearing. Attys., Ray Neudecker—H. M. Fowler.

No. 55125. Emily M. Baker vs. Walter J. Baker: order for alimony pendente lite. Attys., William Wendell—J. William Sher.

No. 53479 Katherine V. Reno vs. Harvey E. Renos: order reinstating cause. Atty., L. A. Block.

No. 53480 Lottie M. Henderson vs. George Gilbert Henderson: order reinstating cause. Atty., L. A. Block.

No. 53093. John H. Swartzell vs. Henry P. Blair et al., trustees: order overruling motion to strike part of answer. Attys., Walter P. Guy and Louis H. Mann—Joseph D. Sullivan.

CIRCUIT COURT 1—Mr. Justice James M. Proctor presiding; Robert E. Lee Goff, clerk.

No. 7515. Hugo Herfurth, jr. vs. District of Columbia; trial by court without jury resumed and continued to January 3. Attys., E. D. Campbell—Robert E. Lynch.

CIRCUIT COURT 2—Mr. Justice Joseph W. Cox presiding; George A. Watts, clerk.

No session. Adjourned until January 3, 1933.

CIRCUIT COURT 3—Mr. Justice Jesse C. Adkins presiding; J. Wesley Gardner, clerk.

No. 76808. Columbia Pianograph Co. vs. U. S. A.; judgment of November 14, 1932, set aside and new judgment entered on finding of court for plaintiff against defendant for $660 and costs. Attys., Herbert S. Ward—R. K. Greathouse.

No. 81508. J. F. Lewis vs. Elevator Supplies Co.; trial on plea in abatement resumed and finding of jury for plaintiff; motion for judgment quod recuperet for plaintiff denied; judgment against defendant for costs to date entered; leave granted defendant to plead within 20 days. Attys., James F. Bird—Spencer Gordon, Fontaine Bradley.

No. 82179. Earl De Hart, infant, vs. James W. and George L. Neal: jury sworn and verdict and judgment forthwith for plaintiff against defendants for $375 and without costs. Attys., Lucien H. Vandoren—Edwin A. Swingle.

No. 80967. Charles J. Huppman, jr., vs. William M. Ernst: jury sworn and verdict and judgment forthwith for plaintiff against defendant for $1,100 without costs. Attys., Ivan Heideman—Walter M. Bastian.

No. 78751. James S. Pilcher vs. Continental Trust Co. et al., executor; judgment on demurrer for Continental Trust Co. against plaintiff for costs; jury sworn as to defendant, Taylor, executrix, and respited. Attys., Robert H. McNeill—Walter B. Guy. F. B. Warder for defendant Taylor; Quinter & Sothoron, for defendant Trust Co.

No. 79458. Mary Holsapple vs. Fox Theaters Corp.: judgment by verdict against plaintiff for costs. Attys., Wheatley & Wheatley—E. C. Brandenburg, Louis M. Denit.

No. 79496. Mary E. Gibbs, adm., vs. B. & O. Ry. Co.: judgment on verdict against plaintiff for costs. Attys., Lambert & Yeaman; A. F. Canfield—Hamilton & Hamilton.

No. 78768. Elise M. Long vs. District of Columbia: motion for new trial to be submitted on or before January 13. Attys., G. E. Edelin—R. E. Lynch.

No. 79153. Mary M. Watkins vs. Demas N. Diavatis et al.: motion for new trial argued and submitted. Attys., A. W. Scott, Nathan Dobbins, E. G. Hubert—A. M. Schwartz.

CIRCUIT COURT 4—Mr. Justice Jennings Bailey presiding; Russel P. Below, clerk. Nos. 78523 and 78524. James A., jr., and James A. Stoutenburgh, sr., vs. Charles D. Reckewey and Lucas N. Catlett: trial resumed and plaintiff each case takes nonsuit against each defendant. Attys., John Paul Jones, J. L. Smith—Robert L. Miller, Cedric F. Johnson; Toomey & Toomey.

No. 79181. Southern Securities Corp. vs. Burchart M. Knobel: juror withdrawn and jury discharged and case passed to February 1, 1933. Attys., Dion S. Birney, Paul E. Lesh—Kelly & Nicolaides.

No. 71171. Marietta Howard vs. District of Columbia: motion for new trial to be submitted on or before January 6. Attys., C. W. C. Williams, G. E. C. Hayes—Robert E. Lynch.

EQUITY COURT 1—Mr. Justice Peyton Gordon presiding; Harry B. Dertsbaugh, clerk.

No. 52843. Ruban S. Marshall vs. Arthur J. Hartke et al.: hearing resumed and argued and submitted. Attys., Albert A. Stern, Albert Lyman—Henry Gilligan, G. H. Calvert, jr.

No. 52968. Marilene Jigger vs. George Jigger et al.: hearing commenced and continued indefinitely. Attys., John Murphy —E. Russel Kelly.

No. 54738. Ruth E. Moore vs. Albert Paul Moore et al.: hearing commenced and decree ordered for plaintiff. Attys., Simon Hirshman—L. H. Ward.

No. 48483. Lillian M. Gant vs. John F. Gant: plaintiff called and suit dismissed and decree dismissing bill. Attys., E. C. Dickson—Aubrey St. Clair Wardwell.

EQUITY COURT 2 and DISTRICT COURT 1—Mr. Justice F. Dickinson Letts presiding; Williams P. Lemon, clerk.

No. 54648. Metropolitan Casualty Insurance Co. vs. Robert J. Hoage et al.: hearing resumed and continued to Dec. 23. Attys., Austin F. Canfield, Mark Keran—R. A. Harman, Swingle & Swingle.

No. 2169. In re Shepherd Parkway: hearing resumed and continued to Friday. Attys., H. H. Glassie, A. G. Lambert, A. H. Bell, jr., et al.

Nos. 2154, 2181, 2130. In re Square 5792: Alton Place, and Huidekoper Place: each case continued to January 23.

No. 219. In re Square 1046: order of publication. Atty., W. L. Fowler.

No. 53117. Central Hanover Bank & Trust Co. vs. Wardman Realty Estate Properties Co.: statement of evidence filed. Attys., Hamilton & Hamilton—D. T. Wright et al.

PROBATE PROCEEDINGS.

Mr. Justice James M. Proctor presiding.

Estate of Fred J. Wenger; will filed, dated August 30, 1928.

Estate of Jennie Gennon Hoey: petition for probate of will and for letters of administration C. t. a. Atty., H. W. Syfrig.

Estate of Elizabeth F. Pierce: will filed, dated October 26, 1932.

Estate of Helen Elvira Stockbridge; will filed, dated July 22, 1926.

Estate of Leopoldine Hansen: order of publication for letters of administration. Atty., C. H. Doherty.

Estate of Laura V. Smith: order continuing trial of issues to January 23, 1933.

Estate of John Murphy; order granting letters of administration to Catherine E. Murphy; special undertaking, $1,000. Atty., D. W. O'Donoghue, jr.

In re estate of Evelyn Hahn; order dismissing petition for sale of infant's real estate.

Estate of Robert J. Holmes; order ratifying and confirming sale of real estate.

Estate of Thomas F. Johnson; will filed, dated December 29, 1925.

Estate of Jane Powers; petition for probate of will and letters of administration c. t. a.; order appointing Clinton R. Colvin, guardian ad litem. Atty., C. T. Clayton.

Estate of Ethel Yoke Larson; order admitting will to probate and granting letters testamentary to John E. Larson; special undertaking, $1,500.

Estate of Isaac Feldman; petition of guardian ad litem for allowance of fee.

Estate of Sarah Jane Mann; order granting ancillary letters testamentary to John S. Atwood, and William K. Poole; undertaking, $2,000.

Estate of G. A. Banton; will filed dated March 27, 1919.

CRIMINAL COURT 1—Mr. Chief Justice Alfred A. Wheat presiding; William S. Adkins, clerk.

No. 52036. U. S. vs. Tommy Alston: discharged by order of the Court December 25, 1932.

No. 52293. U. S. vs. Frank Dellelra; plea guilty, referred.

No. 52695. U. S. vs. Maurice Valentine and Norman Frye; Valentine plea not guilty, referred. Atty., A. A. Schaeffer.

No. 52696. U. S. vs. Richard Mitchell, alias William Jackson, and James Williams; Mitchell plea not guilty; Williams plea guilty, referred.

No. 52697. U. S. vs. Bill Holmes, alias John C. Holmes; plea guilty, referred.

No. 52698. U. S. vs. Charles F. Willis; plea guilty, referred.

No. 52699. U. S. vs. Joseph R. Grant and Preston W. Miden; each, plea not guilty. Atty., Louis D. Lett.

No. 52701. U. S. vs. Arthur Hodge; plea guilty, referred.

No. 52702. U. S. vs. John Henry Smith, and Louis Young, alias Oscar Crutchfield, and Edmund Willis; Smith, plea guilty, referred; Young and Willis; plea not guilty, referred.

No. 52727. U. S. vs. John Henry Smith; plea guilty, referred.

No. 52703. U. S. vs. John H. Thomas; plea not guilty. Atty., G. H. Hospidor.

No. 52705. U. S. vs. Herbert E. McConnell; plea not guilty. Attys., G. T. Burroughs.

No. 52706. U. S. vs. Johnnie Brown; plea not guilty.

No. 52707 et al. U. S. vs. James Johnson &c., plea guilty. Atty., J. H. Wilson.

No. 52709. U. S. vs. Steve Taylor; plea guilty.

No. 52711. U. S. vs. Thomas F. Wenner, &c.; plea not guilty. Atty., Leo Sullivan.

No. 52712. U. S. vs. Samuel Ball et al.; plea guilty each and referred.

No. 52713. U. S. vs. James E. Butler; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52715. U. S. vs. George Hearns; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52716. U. S. vs. Harry E. Beavers; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52717 et al. U. S. vs. Leroy Dorsey; plea guilty.

No. 52719. U. S. vs. John Gilbert Foster; plea not guilty. Atty., C. S. Williams.

No. 52720. U. S. vs. James Grace, &c.; plea guilty each case.

No. 52725 et al. U. S. vs. Edward F. Locker; plea guilty each case and referred.

No. 52726. U. S. vs. Raymond Kicklighter; plea not guilty. Atty., Marie E. McCathran.

No. 52728. U. S. vs. Ernest Rich; plea guilty.

No. 52729. U. S. vs. Alfred Evans; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52730. U. S. vs. Milford Simpson; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52731. U. S. vs. Nataldie Reynolds; plea guilty and referred.

No. 52732. U. S. vs. James E. Martin; plea not guilty. Atty., Marie E. McCathran.

No. 52733. U. S. vs. Dolphus Morgan; plea not guilty. Atty., B. Hall.

No. 52734. U. S. vs. Clarence Brown; plea guilty. Atty., Lovett.

No. 52735. U. S. vs. Albert Johnson; plea not guilty. Atty., L. H. Ward.

No. 52738. U. S. vs. Daniel F. Lee; plea guilty.

No. 52739. U. S. vs. Chester McConnell; plea not guilty. Atty., Rowan & Price.

No. 52740. U. S. vs. Adam Harrington; plea not guilty.

No. 10334. U. S. vs. Alice Contee; recognizance, $1,000. J. W. Stewart, surety, taken.

No. 52115. U. S. vs. George J. Mutsinger; nolle prosequi entered.

No. 52743. U.

The Washington Post.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 23, 1932 SPORTS

3,000 SEE WISCONSIN FIVE BEAT MARYLAND, 22 TO 13

South A.A.U. Reinstates Didrikson

Star Athlete, Winner in Tiff, Scheduled to Turn Pro.

Said to Be on Way to Chicago; Ferris "Surprised."

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22 (A.P.). — Mildred (Babe) Didrikson, world-famous woman athlete, scored another victory today when she won reinstatement to amateur standing through the registration committee of the Southern Amateur Athletic Union.

The committee, which exonerated her of charges of authorizing a commercial advertisement and lifted her suspension as an amateur, acted only a few hours after the young Texan had announced she would turn professional.

Lawrence di Benedetto, chairman, said the committee was not concerned with Miss Didrikson's professional plans, but had desired to investigate the charges and, when they were found unwarranted, to restore her amateur status.

He said that her resignation from the union had been received, but that her athletic future "is up to her."

Miss Didrikson was suspended recently because an automobile advertisement carried her picture and indorsement. She was exonerated after the committee learned that she had not authorized the advertisement, but that a New York advertising agency had released it after it was approved by an automobile dealer at Dallas, Tex.

In announcing she was turning professional, Miss Didrikson said her suspension had been directly responsible and she did not desire to wait for the union's final action.

Resigned From Position.

A few days ago Miss Didrikson resigned from the Dallas insurance firm on whose basket ball team she had starred for several years. Professional plans which she said she was considering included sports writing and movie work.

Miss Didrikson's family said at Beaumont, Tex., today she had boarded a train last night for New Orleans, but a check of hotels here did not locate her and she had not communicated with A. A. U. officials here today.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The motor company with which Mrs. Esther Elam, sistar of Mildred Babe Didrikson, had been employed here, revealed today Mrs. Elam had left her position and "gone to Chicago with Miss Didrikson."

Officials knew no details of the purpose of the trip. Friends assumed it might mean Miss Didrikson, noted woman athlete suspended from amateur competition December 11 and reinstated today, had made good her statement that she was turning professional and that Mrs. Elam had gone along to advise her.

Mrs. Elam joined Miss Didrikson in Beaumont for the trip North.

New York, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Daniel E. Ferris, secretary of the National A. A. U., was "quite surprised" when informed by the United Press of Miss Didrikson's exoneration.

"I'd rather not comment on the matter," he said, "until I have been advised by the Southern officials."

Ferris also declined to comment as to the possibility of invoking a 2-year-old rule which provides that an amateur who announces his intentions of turning professional automatically disqualifies himself for one year.

BALLSTON FIVE BOOKING.

Ballston A. C. quintet is seeking games with unlimited teams having gyms. Call Columbia 6943.

College Football Is Hit Least by the Depression, A. P. Sports Poll Shows

(This is another of a series of stories analyzing results of the 1932 Associated Press sports poll on topics of general interest.)

By ALAN GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor).

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—With the exception of the Middle West, where baseball is considered to have best survived business conditions this year, the Associated Press poll reveals the belief that intercollegiate football generally has suffered the least of any sport during the depression and readjustments of 1932. This may be news to many graduate managers, but the ballots are here to prove it.

Taking the country's sports expert response as a whole, football, with 65 votes, tops the list in reply to the question, "Which sports best survived or reacted to meet conditions." Baseball was named by 48 writers or editors. Golf was placed third, with 35 votes, and wrestling of the professional variety a close fourth, with 34 votes.

Basket Ball Makes Headway In West.

Except for the prominence of basket ball in the Middle West, and boxing in the East only, no other sport is considered to have made any conspicuous gains or contributed any significant gestures during a year marked by heavy financial setbacks and drastic retrenchment or reorganization all along the line.

Football "recognized the handwriting," as one critic points out, "by rescaling ticket prices, making the most of the ballyhoo for the winners and taking prompt steps to make 1933 schedules more attractive." Moreover, the spectacular features of the great college sport were demonstrated to have lost none of their appeal by sell-outs for many of the biggest games in the East and Far West.

Baseball's stronghold apparently lies in the Middle West. It led college football by 24 votes to 21 in this area as the sport which counteracted conditions most effectively. It ranked only third in the South and East and received relatively little recognition on the Pacific Coast. A Waterloo, Iowa, observer draws this lesson: "It is to these communities (of the Midwest) which supported baseball when baseball needed support so badly that the major leagues should insure baseball in the future."

Golf Now Poor Man's Game.

"Golf, once the rich man's game, has become the poor man's," explains another expert, "with municipal courses and lowered greens fees on club courses luring the divot-diggers into action." Increased popularity of public courses is generally credited with being a boom for golf. Furthermore, for example, "in Independence, Kans., a town of around 11,000, there are now four golf clubs whereas five years ago there was one. One club was opened during the past year."

Professional wrestling, in the East and Middle West, is considered to have done exceptionally well under existing conditions for several reasons, including (1) the fact that the grapplers work on a percentage and oftener than most pro athletes; (2) going forward, where boxing slipped back, the wrestlers have been smart enough to give the fans an exciting show for reasonable prices.

As one sports editor sums it up, "it has been a tough year at the boxoffices but there are signs of encouragement wherever initiative and enterprise have honestly sought to give the public what it wants. As for pro sports, the public will pay if assured of its money's worth. As for the amateur side, it is healthier now than ever."

Here are the results of the poll, by sections:

Sport.	Far West	Midwest	South	East	Total Votes
College football	13	21	12	19	65
Baseball	4	24	7	13	48
Golf	4	14	9	8	35
Pro wrestling	4	9	5	16	34
Pro hockey	2	5	0	7	14
Tennis	4	2	4	4	14
Boxing	1	1	0	10	12
Basket ball	1	8	1	1	11
Horse racing	0	3	1	7	11
Pro football	3	3	2	2	10
Olympic games	4	0	0	1	5
Pro bicycle racing	0	1	1	3	5
School football	1	2	0	1	3
Bowling	1	2	0	0	3
Swimming	1	1	0	0	2
Track and field	0	3	0	0	3

Cox Defeated By Coleman In Crash

Winner Reaches Feet to Take Charity Mat Feature.

Turner Triumphs as Police Basket Fund Gains $365.

By BOB CONSIDINE.

THE scrambled-eared boys of the mat slugged, biffed, tweaked and groaned last night to the accompaniment of the silver-throated bells of sweet charity in a card of wrestling bouts at the Washington Auditorium which netted the Police Christmas Basket Fund the fine sum of $365.70, besides enough canned goods and loose vegetables to spring the bungholes of any comfortable old beer barrel.

A somewhat disappointing crowd of about 1,800 saw as fine a series of bouts as have ever been committed in Washington, a card which was climaxed in graphic fashion when Abe Coleman's thick-set head collided with the vast forehead of Joe Cox and the two went down in separate hunks of well-oiled protoplasm. Referee Bortnick, after some delay, began counting. Both boys lay as if they had no more intention of moving than prosperity from behind that corner.

At the count of 7 there was detected a slight twitch in the lower left eyeball of Coleman. At 8 his whole body shook with the palsy of motion. At nine he was on one knee, and at 10 he stood up to his full height of 4-feet-11 and collapsed across the stricken shoulders of Cox while a crescendo of cheers beat down on his slightly nude head.

Suffers Slight Concussion.

Cox appeared to be completely "cold" and Dr. Leon Gordon, an attache at George Washington University Hospital, pronounced it a mild case of concussion of the brain. Cox was carried from the ring. The head-on crash came after 38 minutes of fast and really furious going. Coleman is the speediest rassler among the heavies. He has prodigious strength for so microscopic a man and can rassle and wrestle.

But the thing that probably will stand out in the people's minds concerning last night's bouts was the return of Joe Turner to active competition. The 47-year-old former widdleweight champion gave all the boys a lesson in speed and control in a short and snappy twelve-minute match, in which he dumped willing Pete Moran, Cleveland middleweight, with a hold which stumped the Bureau of Hold Identification, but which a consensus of opinion ruled as a half-cradle, half-crab.

Perhaps the third most outstanding feat of the night was accomplished in the Babe Caddock-Bruno Gorasini 30-minute draw, when Caddock picked a fight with Umpire Burns and nearly got thrown for his efforts.

Gino Garibaldi, scheduled to appear in the final bout, was unable to go on because of a shoulder injury received in a bout Wednesday night against Coleman in some place or other. His place was taken by an old boy whose name Announcer Jimmy Lake made sound like a guy sucking an egg. Joe Turner said he was the Terrible Turk. At least, he was half of that appellative for Frank Judson dumped him in 6 minutes.

Johan Richtoff, Swedish giant, fell on pugnacious Floyd Marshall in 19 minutes after a couple of Japanese arm flips, and Willie Davis waddled to a 10-minute win over Oscar Nygren.

Gallaudet Will Play Wilson Five Tonight

College basket ball today goes into such a decline as it will not hit again for the remainder of the season. Only Gallaudet will remain active, as the majority of the college athletes discard their books in favor of the Christmas holidays.

Gallaudet plays Wilson Teachers tonight and Columbus University a week from tonight.

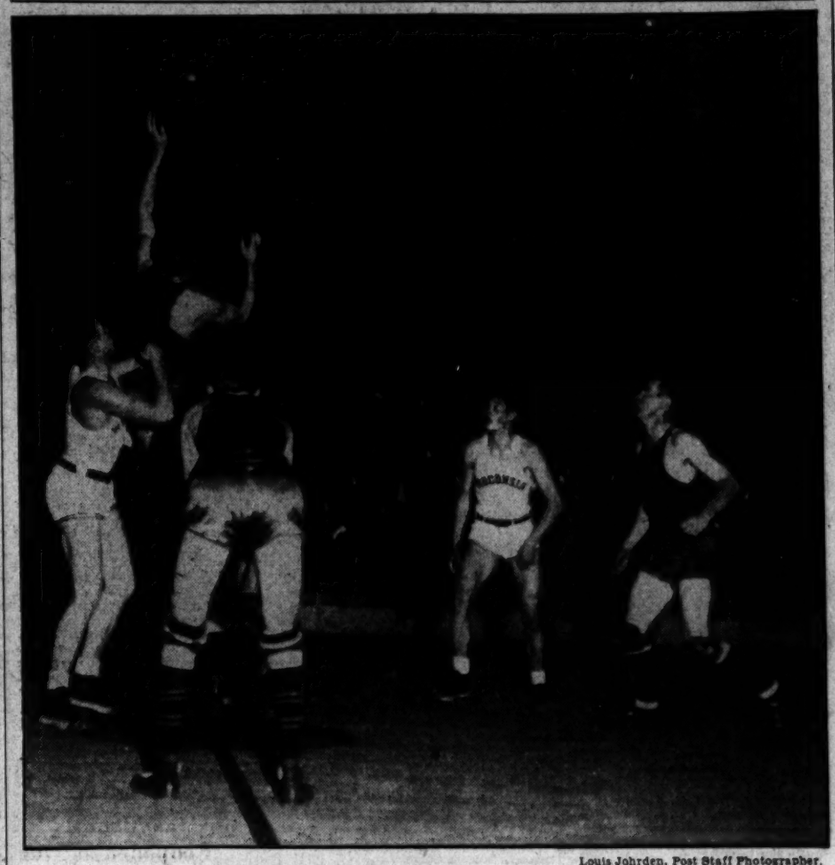
"C" CLUB TO MEET.

An important meeting of the Central "C" Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon House, 1128 Sixteenth street northwest.

Alexandria Five Host To Central Tonight

Central's travel-weary basket ball team engages in its final contest before the holidays tonight at Alexandria, where it will meet the local high school on the armory court. Alexandria will have its full strength available for the fray, and, judging from the scores amassed by its opponent in its last three games, the Virginians will need it. Jack Moore, Oscar Suthard and Ben Burrell, who have been on the injured list, are back in action.

Maryland and Wisconsin Fives in Action



Louis Johrden, Post Staff Photographer.

Rufus Vincent, Maryland center, is pictured beating Hamman, of Wisconsin, to the tap-off in the first half at Ritchie Coliseum last night. The players, left to right, are Hamman, Wisconsin; Vincent, Maryland; Chase, Maryland; Smith, Wisconsin, and Snyder, Maryland.

Badgers Win Defensive Battle

Hold Old Liners to One Field Goal in First Half.

Play Slowed by Zone Defense; Wickman, Miller Star.

By SHIRLEY L. POVICH
(Sports Editor of The Post).

DR. WALTER E. MEANWELL'S latest court creation from the University of Wisconsin, started and completed a victorious one-game invasion of the East last night, holding Maryland to one field goal in the first half, the meanies, as they scored a 22-13 triumph.

Three thousand spectators in the new Ritchie Coliseum were victims of the zone defense of both teams, which lulled the competition into a stupor for minutes on end. Possession of the ball by one team was the signal for the other to go into its shell in the back court and venture out only when a pass missed fire. But even at this phase of the game, Wisconsin was superior.

Nineteen long minutes had elapsed before Snyder startled himself, his teammates, Wisconsin and the 2,000 by dumping the ball into the basket for the first Maryland goal of any description which served to reduce the Badgers' lead to 12-2, breaking the spell of the old Badger game which Wisconsin had been pulling on the Old Liners from the outset.

Old Liners in Awe Of Badgers.

Awe was written plainly on the faces of the Old Liners as they took the court against the Badgers, who came out of the West with the distinction of being coached by the man whom Wisconsin fondly calls the "Father of Basket Ball." While Maryland was combatting this enemy, the Badgers were maneuvering Wickman and McDonald within shooting range with success, and five field goals by this duo accounted chiefly for the 14-2 lead that Wisconsin held at the half.

Throughout the first half Maryland was afflicted with that common malady of the court, shootitis, closely akin to a case of nerves that causes the victims to peg the ball at the basket wildly and with a prayer, but the Old Liners' supplications were in vain. Meanwhile, the meanies from Wisconsin were very deliberately sifting through the Maryland defense or potting from the foul line to compile a comfortable lead.

The Old Liners recovered from their stage fright in the second half to outscore the Badgers and cut down the margin to 18 to 13 at one point, whereat Mr. Meanwell sent McDonald and Smith back into the game and Maryland was held scoreless during the last four minutes.

Maryland Hurried In Shots.

Even the advantage gained by Maryland in Vincent's ability to outjump Jumbo Hamman in the center tap-off, could not be capitalized by the Old Liners who were balked at the foul line by the zone defense tactics of the Badgers with the hurried shots by Yowell, Chase and Buscher usually attempted in desperation.

The chronology of the first half reads like a Wisconsin practice session with no opposition in the gymnasium. Wickman scored from under the basket for the first goal. McDonald potted one from the foul line, McDonald scored again on a pass from Miller, Smith dribbled under the basket to score. Wickman followed

Continued on Page 15, Column 1.

MACKS, NATS TOP RECORD IN FIELD

Cronin Leads League Shortstops, Official Averages Show.

By FRANK H. YOUNG.

WASHINGTON'S pennant chasers of 1932 broke the existing record for team fielding, according to the official averages released yesterday, yet had to be satisfied with a runner-up berth. The previous mark was .977, hung up by the New York Yankees in 1923. The Nats bettered this by two points, but were forced to play second fiddle when the Athletics came through with an even better percentage, .980. One more error than charged to the Athletics in practically the same number of chances made the difference.

Although being toppled from the top of the American League heap, the Athletics surprised baseball fans with their defensive skill. Not only did they lead as a team, but they furnished two individual record-breakers in Max Bishop and Jimmy Dykes, as well as leaders in two other positions in Jimmy Fox, at first, and Mickey Cochrane behind the bat.

In topping the second-sackers, Bishop's .986 figures bettered the .987 mark set by himself in 1926, while Dykes' third-base average of .980 excelled the previous .978 record held by Willie Kamm.

Cronin Shows Way To Shortstops.

The Nationals boasted but one leader in individual play, Joe Cronin, who will pilot them next season, topping all short-fielders with a .969. The Washington regulars were all close to the top, however. Among the 16 pitchers who made no miscues were Dick Coffman, Bobby Burke and

Continued on Page 12, Column 8.

SCHMELING, BAER SIGN FOR BOUT

Dempsey to Promote 15-Rounder in June in N. Y. or Chicago.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Jack Dempsey stepped back into the middle of the heavyweight prize-fight picture today, but this time as a big league promoter, with a fifteen-round match between Max Schmeling and Max Baer as his first offering.

The former heavyweight king gathered the boxing boys around him in his hotel headquarters in a manner reminiscent of the large way Tex Rickard used to do such things and announced that he had signed the two Maxs for battle under his direction for fifteen rounds, either here or in Chicago, some time in June.

Either New York Park Available.

With him was Joe Jacobs, manager of the German who lost his crown to Jack Sharkey last summer, and Ancil Hoffman, manager of Baer. No announcement was made as to terms for the match.

Dempsey has an agreement with Tim Mara, owner of the New York Giants professional football team, for the use next summer of either the Yankee Stadium or the Polo Grounds, both of which ball parks Mara has leased for boxing.

If the match is staged here, Mara said he would be glad to turn either park over to Dempsey. It will be weeks, Dempsey said, before he will make a decision as to the site for the match.

Leo Lomski Is Jailed, Stole Milk, Is Charge

Aberdeen, Wash., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Leo Lomski, of Aberdeen, a former contender for the light-heavyweight boxing championship, and a relative, George Anderson, were in jail here today, accused by Peter Hanson, Satsop farmer, of stealing a 10-gallon can of milk from his farm.

Greenleaf Turns Back Rudolph in Cue Final

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Ralph Greenleaf, eleven times holder of the national pocket billiard championship, kept intact an undefeated record in two years of titular play as he turned back Erwin Rudolph, of Cleveland, 125 to 22, in the final match of the current tournament tonight.

PITT DRILLS IN SNOW AT TUCSON

Panthers, Disappointed by Weather, Put to Hard Work.

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—John Bain Sutherland grew defiant today.

The Pittsburgh coach, who fled from the East with his Panthers in search of warmer climes in which to train for a football game with Southern California on New Year's Day, looked out upon a slushy world here this afternoon and then took his men out for "their hardest drill in three weeks."

Met by 2 inches of snow where he had expected dry sod and warm sunshine, Coach Sutherland was unable to begin the training schedule he had mapped out for this morning. The University of Arizona gridiron here was soggy.

A cold rain followed the snow, but Sutherland said that made no difference—and the Panthers had their workout. It was a privtae affair.

Pitt Player to See Trojan Movies.

The Pittsburgh players were to study Southern California battle maneuvers through a motion-picture exhibition of the Notre Dame-Southern California game tonight.

Coach Sutherland has not yet reached a decision about continuing to Los Angeles at once in search of better weather. He indicated he might decide to go should weather conditions here not improve. In that case, he said, he will establish headquarters at a country club about 45 miles from Los Angeles.

The Pittsburgh mentor maintained his reserve today so far as the Panthers' prospects are concerned. He said the long period his men have been out of heavy training may leave them unfit to cope with the Trojans, but indicated he could do much in the time left him if he could find good weather. The players themselves seemed to be in good spirits.

COLLEGE BASKET BALL

University of Wisconsin, 22; University of Maryland, 13.
At Northfield, Minn. — Carleton, 23; Nebraska, 19.
At Oklahoma City — Oklahoma City Boosters, 45; Oklahoma Aggies, 28.
At Colorado Springs—Brigham Young, 43; Colorado College, 30.
At Salt Lake City—Davis and Elkins, 39; Utah, 32.
At Indianapolis — Butler, 41; Western State Teachers, 38.
At Jersey City—Geneva, 50; John Marshall, 40.

Tilden Returns Amazed At Europe Net Crowds

New York, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—William T Tilden 2d, former world amateur tennis champion, arrived tonight from Europe aboard the liner Europa, margeling at the "amazing" crowds that turn out for professional tennis matches abroad.

The lanky tennis pro said that during his three months' tour of eleven European countries nearly capacity crowds had attended most of the tournaments in which he participated.

"In fact," he continued, "at Prague, Czechslovakia, there were 14,800 paid admissions when I played Karel Kozeluh the first time, and nearly that many the second time. I was lucky to beat him twice. If crowds are any barometer, Europe certainly must be on the upswing economically."

Tilden finished second in the world championship tournament in Berlin. Martin Plaa, of France, won it. "Big Bill" had the honor of playing with King Gustav of Sweden and King Carol of Roumania while abroad.

Connie Mack, at 70, Frowns on Retirement

Philadelphia, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Connie Mack, whose threescore and ten years rest lightly upon his shoulders, looks upon the coming year with the enthusiasm of youth.

Tomorrow the "old man of baseball" reaches another milestone in his long, active career and realizes another ambition—to be a major league manager at 70. Sitting at his huge desk high up in Shibe Park's tower office, the manager of the Philadelphia Athletics repeated today that often-heard phrase:

"No, I have no intention of retiring. I won't step out until I have to—that is, until I can no longer stand travel and crack mentally."

Mack thinks he'll be the first one to realize he's slipping.

Cornelius McGillicudy is the one chief who is bullish on baseball. He visions better things ahead for his profession, and the business world in general.

Heeney and Gastanaga Fight in N. Y. Dec. 30

New York, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Tom Heeney, of New York, formerly of Australia, and Isadora Gastanaga, of Spain, will meet in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden, December 30, it was announced today. Three other 10-rounders will be held. One will involve Hans Birkie, of Germany and James J. Braddock, of Jersey City, N. J.

Londos to Wrestle Sarpolis in Baltimore

Baltimore, Dec. 22. (A.P.).—Ed Contos, promoter of wrestling at Carlin Park, announced today he had matched Jim Londos, world's heavyweight, and Dr. Karl Sarpolis, of Cleveland, in a title match here January 3.

Londos, who is recognized as champion by the National Wrestling Association, has been appearing on the West Coast recently, while Dr. Sarpolis, a graduate of the University of Chicago Medical School, has a string of victories in the East in the last two months.

HOWE PRESENTED WATCH.

Brookland Boys Club, whose football team lost the 150-pound championship to Terry's by a 2-0 score, honored its coach, Jim Howe, at a banquet last night. Howe was presented with a handsome gold watch in appreciation of his efforts.

ARMY NAMES 1933 GRID SCHEDULE

Illinois, Yale, Navy, Harvard and Notre Dame Listed.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 22 (A. P.).—Army's complete 1933 football schedule, listing ten games, was announced today by Maj. P. B. Fleming, graduate manager of athletics.

The schedule is one of the heaviest ever undertaken by any Army team, including four major games against Illinois, Yale, Harvard, Navy and Notre Dame. The schedule, however, is so lined up as to make it unnecessary for Lieut. Gar Davidson's first Cadet eleven to play more than two major opponents on successive Saturdays.

The schedule opens at West Point September 30 against Mercer University and closes with the Notre Dame game at New York December 2. Navy will be played November 25 at a site yet to be selected. It will be Army's turn to be host to the Midshipmen so the battle probably will be held in New York.

Maj. Fleming explained that it had been found impossible to close with Navy without prolonging the season too far into December. The December date with Notre Dame was fixed several years ago.

By mutual agreement among athletic officials of Army and Illinois it was decided to hold the Army-Illinois game in the new municipal stadium at Cleveland October 21.

New opponents for the Cadets include Mercer, Virginia Military Institute, Delaware, Coe and Penn Military College.

The schedule follows: September 30, Mercer; October 7, Virginia Military; October 14, Delaware; October 21, Illinois at Cleveland; October 28, Yale at New Haven; November 4, Coe; November 11, Harvard at Cambridge; November 18, Penn Military; November 25, Navy (site not yet selected); December 2, Notre Dame at New York.

POST MORTEMS . . .

District playgrounds, as has been its custom, is distributing food, toys and clothing to something like 5,000 destitute families this Christmas . . . but Dick Tennyson had time yesterday to adopt the metric system for next year's playground track meets . . . 'Tis said that Joe Judge exhibited astounding lack of business acumen in turning down Brooklyn's offer of $10,000 a year and a small bonus for signing . . . Joe wanted a larger bonus . . . Joseph, have you ever heard how much justices of the Supreme Court, senators, ambassadors, college presidents and heads of the hierarchy make? . . . Central High School's Basket Ball Team has scored the immense number of 207 points in three games this season against G. W. and St. John's College Freshmen and St. John's High . . . Gallaudet was the District college champion back in 1918-19, beating C. U., G. W. and Maryland in a round robin . . . the Miller Furniture Baseball Team, winners of the District title this past summer, have been busy the last few days dispensing Christmas baskets.

Joe Croson, former Duke University basket ball star, was too slow for the fast independent competition here and has been dropped by the Sholl quintet . . . sports editors are griped by letters signed "yours in sport" . . . Dr. Meanwell, Wisconsin's famed basket ball coach, is constantly on his feet during a game . . . Eddie Morgan's .985 fielding average failed to take into account the ground balls he made no attempt to pick up . . . seems strange that the A. A. U. reinstates Babe Didrikson a few hours after she announces she will turn pro . . . the suspension was a grand gesture . . . but the prospective loss of the gate receipts at indoor meets featuring the Babe probably caused the A. A. U. to do its about-face.

The store that makes no compromise with quality

here's a Gift *that will get a glad hand—*

Yes, sir, the men will clasp their hands for a pair of these fine-grained pigskin, genuine cord-sewn . . . or maybe a pair of these imported grey suedes will put them in high spirits.

Genuine Peccary or Imported Suede
GLOVES
$1.95
—In a Neat Grosner Gift Box

Buy "Him" a Gift From
GROSNER
of *1325* F STREET

Nunn-Bush
Ankle-fashioned
OXFORDS
For MEN

Men who know shoes . . . know shoemaking — buy NUNN-BUSH . . . Quality and FIT built-in. No gaping—no slipping . . . They're ankle-fashioned.

Most Styles
$5—$7—$9
MEYERS MEN'S SHOP 1331 F STREET

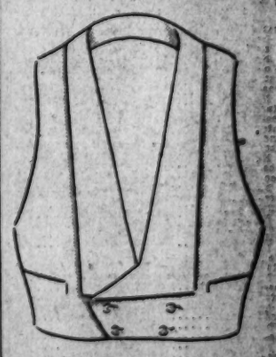
Wright ARCH PRESERVER SHOE

In the matter of
COMFORT

The Last Word in "Foot Comfort" combined with present-day styles for the discriminating shoe purchaser — constructed to make walking easy and a pleasure.

Wright ARCH PRESERVER SHOE
"No foot too hard to fit"
BOYCE & LEWIS
Custom Fitting Shoes
439 7th St., N.W.

★ CHRISTMAS HINT
AT SALTZ BROTHERS



IMPORTED
BACKLESS WAISTCOAT
FROM ENGLAND
$6.95
SALTZ BROS.
1341 F STREET N.W.

NELL KUHLMAN CAPTURES FEATURE RACE AT JEFFERSON

Form Players Cash on 4 Winners

Jockeys McCoy, Beck Each Score in Two Races.

Both Gilbert, Mills Are Shut Out in Riding Race.

JEFFERSON PARK RACE TRACK, New Orleans, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Local patrons were treated to a little genuine sunshine here this afternoon and warmer weather prevailing, conditions were ideal for the sport, although the track remained heavy. Racegoers who were counting upon Jockeys Johnny Gilbert and Hank Mills to resume their duel in the race for riding honors for the year were disappointed. Both boys were willing to add to their totals, but neither piloted home a winner, leaving the result as it was before the program got under way—Gilbert, 201, Mills, 194.

The American Airways purse, a dash of 6 furlongs for all ages, headed the card and resulted in a handy score for the consistent filly, Nell Kuhlman, which carried the silks of W. P. Lutz home by two lengths to pay $3.40.

Very Well Beats Pop For Place.

Very Well accounted for the place, beating Sure Pop by a half length. Very Well had the early foot of the seven-horse field and little T. P. Martin let her step right along. However, Nell Kuhlman, moving up with a rush around the bend, overtook the pacemaker entering the stretch and under J. Dupuy's capable handling, drew clear under mild urging. Sure Pop was well up at all times.

Form players were in their element today as four favorites, three of them at odds-on, paraded home in front of their fields. After Dr. Parrish, which paid $4.80 for $2, had accounted for the second race, Ottie M., Nell Kuhlman and Sweep Rush scored in succession in the fourth, fifth and sixth events. Ottie M. paid $3.20, Nell Kuhlman, $3.40 and Sweep Rush $3.00.

Jockeys "Googles" McCoy and Apprentice Albert Beck each scored doubles. The former registered on Drury in the opener, putting up a faultless ride, and then scored again on Ottie M. in the fourth. Beck piloted home the winners of the second and third races, Dr. Parrish and Porgie, respectively.

Mt. Rainier High Five 33-23 Victim of Tech

Tech tucked away its fourth victory before the holidays yesterday when it won a 33-23 decision over an ambitious Mount Rainier High School quintet on the latter's court. Waverly Wheeler found the net for eight field goals and a foul to lead both teams in scoring. Foster Mathias was outstanding for the Mounties.

Tech.	G	FG	P	Mt. Rainier.	G	FG	P
Billings,lf.	1	0	2	Bellman,lf.	0	1	1
Gillem,lf.	0	0	0	R.Mathias,rf.	0	1	1
Ward,rf.	0	1	1	Emery,rf.	1	0	2
Wheeler,rf.	4	1	3	Hall,c.	2	0	4
Robinson,rf.	1	0	2	Callow,c.	0	0	0
Daly,c.	1	1	3	Ziegler,lg.	2	1	5
Milley,c.	0	0	0	F.Mathias,rg.	3	0	6
Thomas,lg.	1	0	2				
Roland,rg.	0	0	0				
Reed,rg.	0	0	0				
Nau,rg.	1	1	3				
				Totals	10	3	23
Totals	13	7	33				

Referee—Norris (Maryland).

JEFFERSON PARK ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Magna Mater	103	12 Regal Flag	113
2 General Toy	110	11 *Cousin Judy	102
3 Jack Bishop	110	14 *Monuuff	110
4 Clas.'s Choice	110	15 Jeanne Wachs	111
5 Trieze	110	16 Nat Weiss	106
6 Lofty Heights	116	17 *Jacq. Coogle	105
7 *Pacheco	111	18 Blue Damsel	103
8 Purlie	111	19 *Port o' Play	112
9 *Dandy Dan	111	20 *Imelda	108
10 The Bard	106	21 *Mekachee	108
11 *Old Bill	105	22 Baritone	117

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 4-year-old colts, horses and geldings.

1 *Too M. Talk	110	12 *Chr. Paschen	110
2 Oderic	110	13 *Old Sol	110
3 *Timekeeper	110	14 *Juggler	110
4 *Shorty O.	110	15 Beau Wrack	115
5 McCulloch	115	16 Murm'r Pines	110
6 *Blue Darter	110	17 *Marenso	110
7 *Royal Sable	110	18 *Ragabald	110
8 *Ch. McCroan	110	19 Com. Kennedy	115
9 Beaville	115	20 Buddy M.	115
10 Trycobel	115	21 Bisque	115
11 Brown Trap	115	22 *Rasuli	110

THIRD RACE — Six furlongs (chute); purse, $400; claiming; for 2-year-olds and 3-year-olds.

1 Elkhart	111	12 Catalan's Idol	108
2 Red Vamp	100	13 Cedar Valley	106
3 Red Vest	114	14 Precede	108
4 Klipdrift	113	15 Our Pride	98
5 Donate	111	16 Lady General	108
6 Alcor	108	17 George K.	113
7 Lampoon	111	18 Keltwick	103
8 Transmit	108	19 Spot Pot	98
9 Run On	111	20 Toney Pride	110
10 Nancy Clot	108	21 Prin. Pebbles	101
11 Priscoville	108	22 Polly E.	102

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Indian Dance	101	12 Petabit	107
2 *Solus	106	13 *Fair Margery	102
3 *Escoba Land	103	14 Junior C.	110
4 *Winnie C.	105	15 *Last Attempt	104
5 Transgression	107	16 *Drastic Celt	106
6 Lady Sweet	110	17 Wyandotte	103
7 *Hal Riley	106	18 Jack Alexander	110
8 Switch	110	19 Duch. of York	107
9 *Sh. Charmer	106	20 Blighter	106
10 *Blk. Patricia	102	21 *Bill Orange	109
11 Ivy Prince	103	22 *Balance All	101

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Chianti	109	11 Helen Green	109
2 Flying Don	112	12 Happy Warrior	112
3 Tarpon	114	13 Tennywood	110
4 *Polly's Polly	108	14 M. Perfection	108
5 *Nyack	107	15 *Overboard	109
6 Hover	107	16 Ellen D.	107
7 High Pockets	114	17 Gr. Champion	110
8 North Vernon	107	18 Burnside	107
9 Newsgo	107	19 *Round Up	106
10 Silent Vote	107		

SIXTH RACE — Six furlongs (chute); claiming; for 2-year-olds and 3-year-olds.

1 Shady Girl	98	12 Slanta	117
2 Whitharral	105	13 Thistle Ace	115
3 Beggar Lady	108	14 W. J. Palmer	101
4 No Fun	111	15 Miss Alden	100
5 Micara	98	16 Eldridge	111
6 Vonnie	110	17 Chatternene	108
7 Morlove	98	18 Yankaway	98
8 Lorraine K.	106	19 Wasteful	111
9 Dunair	105	20 Aileene C.	102
10 Olive Sabath	100	21 Worthy's Pride	98
11 Arrow	111	22 Pulis	105

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Jeff O'Neil	111	12 Distress Signal	111
2 *Raffler Con.	107	13 Mutual Friend	111
3 *Evelin F.	107	14 Singing Kid	106
4 Honohina	111	15 Dixie Lad	111
5 Farlin	103	16 Crowned Head	111
6 Bosky	111	17 Waterport	108
7 Penny	108	18 Golflex	111
8 Duelist	111	19 Bill Phillips	111
9 *Potful	106	20 Deemster	111
10 *Elizabeth S.	105	21 Dick Porter	111
11 *Joan G.	103	22 Winnie Jo	108

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, cloudy; track, heavy.

LOANS HORNING
Diamonds—Watches—Jewelry
Take All Buses 6th St. and Pa. Ave.
South Washington, Va.

Sylvester Tells of Clubmaking

Proper Balance Important, Says Bannockburn Pro; Cleanliness of Clubs Is Aid to Better Golf; Made Sticks for Jones, Hagen.

Ted Johnson, Post Staff Photographer.

Tony Sylvester, acknowledged as one of the country's outstanding clubmakers, is shown in his shop at Bannockburn working on the head of the club, which he says must be balanced with the shaft. Sylvester has made clubs for Bobby Jones, Tommy Armour, Walter Hagen and a host of other prominent golfers.

(Herewith is the twenty-seventh of The Post's series of golf articles by professionals of the Washington clubs.)

By TONY SYLVESTER.
(Bannockburn Golf Club Pro).
As Told to Dave Herman,
Post Staff Golf Writer.

I SERVED my apprenticeship in clubmaking around 1910 at Wilmington, Del., under Gil Nichols, pro of the course, and Alec Simpson, one of England's greatest clubmakers. From them I learned this art

I advise selecting a shaft with a long grain, because I find that this has a quick spring. In making up the head of the wooden clubs, regardless of the weight, the head must be balanced with the shaft. Sometimes I leave the shaft a little thicker and again thinner in order to obtain the balance with the head and get the "feel." The clubs that I have made for some of our national champion golfers have the "feel" under the grip. That gives them a softer grip and also the "feel" of the head. The grip of the club is essential.

Favors Hickory Shaft.

To secure the proper balance, I always advise a thin grip and a light hickory-shafted club. I spend anywhere from three to four days carving out a head from a block. I can only work on a clubhead two or three hours a day because you see so many angles and points every time you pick up the head. Most of the topnotch golfers prefer smart looking heads. Among these are Gil Nichols, Bobby Jones, Leo Diegel, Cyril Walker, Bill Mehlhorn, Tommy Armour and Walter Hagen. I have made up sets for each of them, and in 1922 spent many months in fashioning just the kind of clubs Hagen wanted.

A shallow-faced club is a good one to use, because it enables the golfer to get the ball up easier.

Now as for gluing up the head, it must fit perfectly or else will fly off or crack. I finish and rub my clubs with linseed oil and shellac in order to keep out water during the rainy weather, fill out the pores in the wood and help preserve the shaft.

Pro Can Aid in Selection.

I don't know of anyone better qualified to help you select your clubs than your own professional. You should pick out the clubs that are easiest to handle, the ones you think will bring the best results. The pro then will assist you in your choice. Remember to select your clubs from the same family. I suggest shorter wooden clubs for big men and larger clubs for smaller men.

The best way to save your clubs—if you value them at all—is to keep them in a golf shop. Here the clubs are cleaned and whipped, if needed, from time to time. In the long run you will benefit.

A lot of professionals say that a rusty club makes the ball "bite." By keeping the club clean at all times you can get the benefit of the backspin on grooves. Dirt on clubs often skids many to the right. Always keep your clubs dry. After playing in the rain, see that the shafts are wiped and a coat of linseed oil applied. This oiling prevents warping.

MERCURY TRIUMPHS.

Mercury A. C. turned back Company F of the National Guard at Hyattsville last night, 28 to 12. Moeller, with 10 points and Curtin with 9, featured for the victors.

TEAM HAS GYM—NO FOE.

First Baptist's quintet has a gym available tonight and would like to book a strong opponent. Teams interested should call Manager Whitsell at West 2161, Apartment 1011, between 5 and 5:30 o'clock.

AT THE POST

with Bill Bennings

DEAR AL: JEFFERSON PARK, DEC. 22.

Well, pal, we made it nine winners for the week. Today they clicked for us in three straight races—Ottie M., Nell Kuhlman, Sweep Rush. When they posted the mutuels I thought they were referring to the alcoholic content of the beer bill—3.20, 3.40, 3. However, a winner is a winner just so that nose is in front. I also was well represented in the money on other occasions. In fact some of my show propositions outpaid my winners. Tomorrow, I'm naming a few that might earn the down payment on a hat, a suit, a diamond ring, an auto, or a railroad, depending, of course, on where they finish and how you play them.

FIRST RACE—JACK BIENER won so impressively the last time that I can't pass him up in a field of this caliber. Then too, Gilbert will have the mount again and he isn't riding and dead horses. It looks like Mills will ride **REGAL FLAG** and I look for this combination to press the top one. **MORSNUFF** for the show.

SECOND RACE—TIME KEEPER is not a Man o' War or a Pilate, but he is a fair sort when the opposition is cheap and generally sore-footed. Looks like he may score in this. **TOO MUCH TALK** and **BEGUILE** for the rest.

THIRD RACE—DONATE and Gilbert look like a winning pair in this. The colt has yet to run back to his New York racing, but is said to be in top shape and ready to strut his real stuff. **KELTWICK** and **ELKHART** appear to have it on the rest of the field.

FOURTH RACE—BLACK PATRICIA and **HAL RILEY** should wage war for this purse. I'm giving the first named the edge. **PETABIT** probably will draw Gilbert and will be a dangerous animal under the conditions expected.

FIFTH RACE—FLYING DON will have to go into a tailspin to lose this one. However, there's been a lot of bad flying here so far. **HAPPY WARRIOR** is my wake-up special. He should be second. **HYACK** for the show.

SIXTH RACE—ARROW has shown good speed in this vicinity and will be hard to handle. Expect to see **THISTLE ACE** supply most of the battle. **VONNIE** will be well played and may take the show end.

SEVENTH RACE—SINGING KID has been whispered to me as a good thing, which is hard to believe, but nevertheless worth a take-a-chance wager. **EVELINE F.** and **FAYLIN** seem to have a lock-up on the rest of the purse.

Unlimited League Attracts 12 Fives

Foster Temporary Head of New Circuit; Play to Start Shortly.

The District of Columbia Association Basket Ball League was christened last night at the Central Y. M. C. A. at a meeting attended by twelve unlimited quintets.

Ralph Foster, "Y" physical director, who presided, was elected as temporary president of the new circuit, with Ray Nash as secretary and treasurer. Another meeting will be held next Thursday at the Y. M. C. A. when a schedule will be drawn up and officers elected.

The teams will swing into action the first week in January. Teams represented last night, which will make up the league, are Colonials of Hyattsville, Red Sox, Saranac A. C., Y. M. C. A., Boys' Club, Shade Shop, Takoma Business Men's Club, Rockville A. C., Kensington A. C., Delaware & Hudson, Jewish Community Center and Sport Mart.

BOYS CLUB PARTY.

Stan Stanley, well-known contortionist, will bend himself into a human pretzel, throw a couple of joints out of place and perform many other baffling feats today at the Boys Club for the edification of the youngsters at the annual Christmas party of the club. Stanley will conclude his performance by wriggling free from six men.

The party will mark the opening of the new junior games room.

Additional Sports on Page 15.

Community Center League Draws 24

Gigantic Court Loop Opens Next Month; D. and H. to Defend Title.

With 24 teams in line, the Community Center Basket Ball League will move into action the first week of January, with the prospects more than bright for the best season in the history of this fast unlimited amateur league. The league was formed in 1928, with eighteen teams. It had ten in 1929, fourteen in 1930 and twenty last year.

As usual, the teams will be divided into two sections, with a new idea in play-offs at the ends of the season whereby the winners and runners-up of each league will engage in a four-way round robin. The title is now held by Delaware & Hudson, but with the influx of more and better teams its chances of retaining the trophy are rated slim.

The schedule will be announced early next week. Games will be played nightly at Central, Roosevelt, Eastern and other gymnasiums.

The teams are Delaware & Hudson, School's, First Baptist, Utah State Society, Mount Vernon, Mercury, Bureau of Investigation, Swann's Service, Tremonts, Naval Reserve, Griffith-Consumers, Western Wildcats, Crescents, Drakes, Rhode Island Avenue Baptists, Olmsted Grill, Clovers, Northern Preps, Congress Heights, Sigma Phi Lambda, Miller Furniture, Atlas, United States Documents and the United Typewriter Grays.

Gorman to Coach Old Dominion Five

Special to The Washington Post.

Alexandria, Dec. 22.—Eddie Gorman, former Georgetown player, has been appointed as coach of the Old Dominion Boat Club quint for the 1932-33 season.

THE POST'S CONSENSUS AT JEFFERSON PARK

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

CONSENSUS OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race
Jack Biener (17)	Too M. Talk (29)	Donate (27)	Bl. Patricia (29)	Flying Don (36)	Arrow (28)	Deemster (19)
Regal Flag (15)	Time Keeper (22)	Elkhart (18)	Hal Riley (21)	Chianti (10)	Thistle Ace (21)	Dixie Lad (13)
Morsnuff (11)	Beguile (11)	Keltwick (11)	Lady Sweet (7)	Nyack (7)	Vonnie (17)	Farlin (11)

BENNINGS, WASHINGTON POST

Jack Biener	Time Keeper	Donate	Black Patricia	Flying Don	Arrow	Singing Kid
Regal Flag	Too Much Talk	Keltwick	Hal Riley	Happy Warrior	Thistle Ace	Eveline F.
Morsnuff	Beguile	Elkhart	Petabit	Nyack	Vonnie	Farlin

LOUISVILLE TIMES. ASSOCIATED PRESS

Mekachee	Too Much Talk	Donate	Hal Riley	Flying Don	Vonnie	Deemster
Dandy Dan	Juggler	Precede	Smitch	Chianti	Arrow	Farlin
Jack Biener	Beguile	Red Vest	Black Patricia	Grand Champion	Morlove	Bosky

GODWIN DUE RING TEST TUESDAY

Dixie's Light-Heavy Star Will Tackle Les Kennedy.

BOB GODWIN, former Southern light heavyweight champion, who was ranked fourth by the N. B. A. at its annual meeting in September at Baltimore, will return to Portner's Arena in Alexandria next Tuesday night to clash in a ten-round feature bout with Les Kennedy, Pacific Coast heavyweight, now registered out of Chicago.

Godwin, a big favorite around this section, fought six fights at Portner's and one at Twin City. It is his first appearance since August 29 when he lost a ten-rounder to Maxie Rosenbloom at the Laurel arena.

Schwartz Among Victims Of Godwin.

Godwin's victims at Portner's include Billy Schwartz and Eric Lawson, both of whom lost by a technical knockout; Sammy Weiss, Reds Barry and Owen Phelps. Godwin is back from a tour of Florida, where he engaged in a number of successful matches.

Hailing from Adele, Ga., Godwin is a cousin of Billy Stribling. He comes from a fighting family and is managed by his father.

Kennedy is said to possess a strong right hand. Handled by Joe Glaser, manager of Eddie Shea, Kennedy holds victories over K. O. Christner, Al Fay, Baxter Calmes, Jack Roper, Dynamite Jackson and a host of other good boxers. He has been beaten by Paolino Uscudun and Leo Lomski.

A strong preliminary card will support the Godwin-Kennedy bout, Matchmaker Frankie Mann announced.

Tech Stars Defeat Eastern Grads, 49-43

"Alumni Night" at Eastern High School developed into a Tech holiday when former Maroon and Gray stars defeated the Eastern grads, 49 to 43, in a spirited battle. Joe Croson, who matriculated at Duke University after leaving Tech, scored 16 points for the victors, but Bernie Lieb, Eastern forward, went him one better.

Eastern's current team partially redeemed the school's honor by trouncing Gonzaga's green five, 55 to 21. Tom Davis showed the way with 13 points.

Eastern.	G	FG	P	Gonzaga.	G	FG	P
Waters,lf.	2	4	8	Roach,lf.	1	3	5
Edelin,lf.	2	0	4	Lao,lf.	0	0	0
Nolan,rf.	3	1	7	Pollard,rf.	1	1	3
Bassin,rf.	1	1	3	Lilly,rf.	1	1	3
Davis,c.	6	1	13	Sweeney,c.	1	2	4
Perusso,c.	0	0	0	Mann,lg.	0	0	0
Kresin,lg.	1	0	2	Hayes,lg.	0	0	0
Fitzgerald,lg.	3	1	7	Hurley,rg.	2	1	5
Dean,rg.	0	0	0	Merkle,rg.	0	0	0
Bayliss,rg.	4	2	10				
Mills,rg.	0	0	0	Totals	7	7	21
Hall,rg.	1	0	2				
Totals	23	9	55				

Referee—Taylor.

Eastern.	G	FG	P	Tech.	G	FG	P
Kane,lf.	4	1	9	C.M'Cartee,lf.	1	0	2
Lieb,rf.	7	3	17	Counellor,rf.	3	0	6
Noonan,c.	4	1	9	Johnson,rf.	0	0	0
Shirley,lg.	4	2	10	Croson,c.	7	2	16
Courtney,rg.	0	1	1	Werber,lg.	3	0	6
Kessler,rg.	0	0	0	Beach,rg.	4	0	8
				Russell,rg.	4	2	10
Totals	18	7	43	Totals	23	3	49

Referee—Taylor.

Bethesda-C. C. Wins. From Hyattsville

With Nichols showing the way, Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School turned in a 48-to-19 victory over Hyattsville in a loosely played game yesterday at Hyattsville. Nichols scored 21 points. Ferguson played a fine defensive game for the victors, while Cogar starred for Hyattsville.

Bethesda.	G	FG	P	Hyattsville.	G	FG	P
Nichols,lf.	9	3	21	Calhoun,lf.	0	0	0
Ferguson,lf.	0	0	0	Cogar,lf.	2	2	6
R.Brown,rf.	2	0	2	Brown,rf.	0	0	0
Johnason,c.	2	0	4	O'Neil,rf.	0	0	0
Guckeyson,lg	4	2	10	Quantrille,c.	2	1	5
Jobes,rg.	8	1	11	Bladen,lg.	1	0	2
				Caln,lg.	2	1	5
Totals	21	6	48	J.Clark,rg.	2	1	5
				Meade,rg.	0	0	0
				Totals	7	5	19

Referee—Morris.

Woodward Alumni Routs Varsity, 69-14

Woodward's Alumni team scored an easy 69-14 victory over the varsity in a slow and dull game yesterday. Groff, Fry, Clews and Hayes were the most consistent point-getters for the grads, while Reynolds' work was best for the varsity.

Woodward.	G	FG	P	Alumni.	G	FG	P
Bl'kenship,lf.	0	0	0	Hayes,lf.	7	1	15
Huff,lf.	0	0	0	Ozzier,rf.	3	0	6
Rozelle,rf.	0	0	0	Litchar,rf.	0	0	0
Custis,rf.	0	0	0	Clews,c.	6	0	12
Ill,c.	0	0	0	Fry,c.	6	0	12
Humphrey,c.	0	0	0	Groff,lg.	8	0	16
Welch'dt,lg.	0	0	0	Moore,lg.	3	0	6
Reynolds,lg.	2	0	4	Ourand,rg.	0	0	0
Botsford,rg.	1	0	2	Frederick,rg.	1	0	2
Sanford,rg.	1	0	2				
Totals	7	0	14	Totals	34	1	69

Referee—Shirley.

GRAYS DOWN OLMSTED.

Un. Grays.	G	FG	P	Olmsted.	G	FG	P
Latona,lf.	3	0	6	Sebastian,lf.	0	0	0
Doyle,rf.	0	1	1	Kemp,lf.	2	0	4
Feiner,rf.	0	0	0	Wills,rf.	2	0	4
Lilly,c.	1	1	3	Hendrickson,rf	0	0	0
Wiler,lg.	5	0	10	Dantzic,c.	2	0	4
Timmons,rg.	3	0	6	Gahan,lg.	0	1	1
Baxter,rg.	0	0	0	Benham,rg.	1	0	2
Totals	12	2	28	Totals	9	1	19

Hitting the Headpin

HENRIETTA STANLEY rolled 124 to garner the high game prize in the Ladies Federal League at Arcadia last night. Maxine Fleming had the best of the evening, 342. Agriculture captured both team prizes, rolling a 525 game and 1,484 set.

In the Inter-Bureau loop at Lucky Strike McDonald's 146 game was a prize-winner, while Falck's 385 accounted for the remaining individual award. Aeronautic Engineers hopped off with the team game, 538, and Domestic Commerce rolled high set, 1,547.

Latham went home burdened down with honors after rolling 135 and 364 in the Independent League at Lucky Strike. Service Coffee Shoppe walloped the maples for a 571 game and 1,688 set.

Chi Sigma No. 4 (and that isn't the size of their shoes) won all the team honors available in the Inter-Sorority League at Columbia when its members rolled a 442 game and a 1,565 set. Catherine Beck's 111 and 301 bagged the individual laurels.

Updike's 359 and Crowley's 135 topped the Interior Department loop at Columbia. The secretaries pinned a 1,588 set while Land was carrying off game prize with its 542.

Hohman was chief pin-buster in the War Department organization at Arcadia, popping the bottles on the schnozzle for a game of 146, which culminated in a 410 set. Barbettes walked off with team honors when they scored a 585 game and 1,701 set.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE FIELDING AVERAGES, 1932

CLUB FIELDING.

Club	G	DP	TP	PB	PO	A	E	TC	Pct.
Philadelphia	154	143	0	15	4160	1776	124	6060	.980
Washington	154	157	0	6	4181	1181	123	6807	.979
St. Louis	154	136	1	6	4130	1809	188	6127	.970
Cleveland	153	129	0	6	4131	1823	191	6145	.969
Detroit	152	154	0	5	4088	1772	187	6048	.969
New York	155	124	0	10	4227	1624	188	6039	.969
Boston	154	165	0	5	4086	1961	233	6280	.963
Chicago	152	170	0	10	4046	1913	264	6222	.958
Totals		1197	1	63	33019	14369	1500	48888	.969

INDIVIDUAL FIELDING RECORDS.

Ten or More Games.

FIRST BASEMEN.

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Cennatser, Cleveland	R	14	109	8	0	117	7	1.000
Judge, Washington	L	78	668	46	2	716	71	.997
Foxx, Philadelphia	R	141	1328	79	9	1416	115	.994
Kuhel, Washington	L	85	761	45	5	811	64	.994
Burns, St. Louis	L	150	1300	101	12	1812	130	.992
Alexander, 2 Det.-101 Bos.	R	103	1055	67	9	1131	93	.992
Rhiel, Detroit	R	12	96	10	1	107	13	.991
Sullivan, Chicago	R	52	485	35	5	525	42	.990
Reder, Boston	R	10	88	8	1	97	11	.990
Davis, Detroit	L	140	1327	75	16	1418	123	.989
Gehrig, New York	L	155	1293	75	18	1386	101	.987
Blue, Chicago	L	105	1014	88	15	1118	94	.986
Morgan, Cleveland	R	142	1430	74	23	1527	100	.983
Van Camp, Boston	R	25	249	18	4	271	20	.985
Roettger, Philadelphia	R	13	130	3	2	135	9	.978
Walwood, Boston	L	18	149	16	1	172	17	.969

Triple play—Burns.

SECOND BASEMEN.

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Bishop, Philadelphia	R	106	232	340	7	579	68	.986
Melillo, St. Louis	R	153	393	526	18	937	110	.981
Lazzeri, New York	R	133	328	495	14	837	70	.978
Myer, Washington	R	155	388	498	11	897	97	.973
McManus, Boston	R	49	123	161	9	293	26	.969
Gehringer, Detroit	R	131	356	495	20	921	110	.967
Hayes, Chicago	R	97	241	346	20	607	78	.947
Appling, Chicago	R	30	52	110	6	178	12	.960
Clasell, Cleveland	R	129	328	475	30	834	82	.964
Farrell, New York	R	16	24	28	2	54	5	.963
Saltzaver, New York	R	16	38	30	3	71	5	.958
Olson, Boston	R	106	266	324	28	618	65	.955
Kerr, Washington	R	17	44	57	5	106	9	.951
Williams, Philadelphia	R	53	122	175	15	312	20	.952
Selbh, Chicago	R	26	45	95	8	148	14	.946
Burnett, Cleveland	R	26	48	69	9	126	10	.929

Triple Play—Melillo.

THIRD BASEMEN.

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Richardson, Detroit	R	65	51	92	2	145	8	.986
Dykes, Philadelphia	R	141	142	251	8	401	20	.980
Sewell, New York	R	122	122	221	9	352	15	.974
Bluege, Washington	R	149	158	332	14	504	38	.970
Kamm, Cleveland	R	148	164	299	16	479	20	.967
Scharein, St. Louis	R	77	100	172	10	282	22	.965
Stortl, St. Louis	R	51	50	81	6	137	8	.956
Rhiel, Detroit	R	36	33	53	4	90	8	.956
Crosetti, New York	R	33	31	44	4	79	2	.949
Pickering, Boston	R	126	110	222	21	353	22	.941
Schuble, Detroit	R	76	70	152	14	236	10	.941
Foxx, Philadelphia	R	13	10	18	2	30	1	.933
McManus, Boston	R	30	24	66	8	98	2	.918
Selph, Chicago	R	71	83	120	20	223	14	.910
Hayes, Chicago	R	10	13	18	3	34	0	.903
Kress, 14 St. L.-19 Chi.	R	33	49	61	11	112	9	.902
Montague, Cleveland	R	11	5	13	2	20	2	.900
Grimes, St. Louis	R	18	14	35	6	55	4	.891
Sullivan, Chicago	R	17	14	30	6	50	4	.880
Appling, Chicago	R	14	13	22	6	41	2	.854
English, Chicago	R	13	9	23	7	39	2	.821

Less Than Ten Games

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	DP	Pct.
Kerr, Washington	R	8	2	3	0	1	1.000
Kingdon, Washington	R	8	4	9	1	1	.929
Musser, Washington	R	1	0	0	0	0	.000

SHORTSTOPS.

Name and Club	Throws	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Rhyne, Boston	R	55	92	161	9	262	31	.966
Cronin, Washington	R	141	306	448	32	781	95	.959
Dykes, Philadelphia	R	10	13	29	2	44	5	.955
McNair, Philadelphia	R	133	242	391	31	664	89	.953
Schuble, Detroit	R	15	42	52	5	99	14	.949
Burnett, Cleveland	R	103	184	304	28	516	52	.946
Rorell, Detroit	R	139	275	433	42	750	88	.944
Larr, New York	R	80	152	218	23	393	30	.941
Levey, St. Louis	R	152	284	439	47	770	83	.939
Wartzler, Boston	R	107	254	373	41	668	84	.939
Kerr, Washington	R	14	35	37	4	76	7	.939
Crosetti, New York	R

Stocks Continue to Decline Under Heavy Sale Increase

Average 1.8 Loss Recorded as Trading Mounts to 1,297,658 Shares.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The spirit that should go with the approach of Christmas was absent from today's financial markets as stocks, commodities and many bonds sold off with rather decided unanimity of direction.

Railroad securities were feeble and their weakness appeared to exert considerable influence on others.

In stocks, net losses ranged from fractions to more than 3 points. New York Central was particularly weak, down 3½ net under steady offerings. Union Pacific lost as much, while Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific and Lackawanna dropped 1 to about 2. Westinghouse, Allied Chemical, Case, American Telephone, United Aircraft and People's Gas tumbled 2 to almost 4. Pressure against the U. S. Steel socks was less severe, the preferred holding its decline to a point. Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Du Pont, Bethlehem, Woolworth, Consolidated Gas, North American and American Can yielded at least one.

The market started hopefully, for "beer issues" were stimulated by overnight news of the House vote, but the list had so little static power that it was moving downward by the end of the first half-hour, when rails had begun to weaken. Selling orders dried up by noon and trading was very dull until toward the close. Activity then picked up again on the down side. Sales of 1,297,658 shares were the largest since November 14.

The rough going encountered by rails appeared contrary to the surface news, which included the Chicago wage decision. To what extent their sogginess reflected professional operations for the decline was impossible to determine. Perhaps speculative quarters were beginning to be apprehensive over 1933 financial prospects. The sentimental effect of a heavy rail group is frequently rather pronounced.

THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE

What the Stock Market Did

	Thur.	Wed.
Advances	103	136
Declines	455	295
Unchanged	147	202
Total issues traded	705	633

Stocks.

Declines continued under a heavy increase of sales. An average loss of 1.8 points was recorded. The turnover was 1,297,658 shares.

Bonds.

Losses again prevailed in bonds. The average decline was a half point. Secondary rails were blamed. The turnover mounted to $12,279,000.

Curb.

Trading increased to 170,000 shares, but prices declined with those of other markets. Losses ranged up to 2 points.

Wheat.

Stop-loss selling of corn futures and reactions from securities' drops sent wheat down ¾ to 1¼ cents. Oats and provisions joined slump.

Cotton.

Prices declined 16 to 19 points in general liquidation. March sold at 5.81. Liverpool reported trade calling.

Steel Prices Unchanged.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Steel prices unchanged.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

(Associated Press.)

London—Trading was quiet but cheerful on the stock exchange. The chief interest being shown in gold mining shares due to South African buying. Industrials and gilt-edged shares improved on local investment buying. Transatlantic issues eased and the closing was steady.

Paris—The bourse was somewhat more optimistic, especially as to the likelihood of the Bonnour government receiving a vote of confidence. Prices showed a better trend with modest gains being registered. The closing was firm.

Berlin—Trading on the boerse was listless. Although increased unemployment was a depressing factor, the announcement of the details of the job creation plan offered encouragement.

SECURITIES AVERAGES.

(Associated Press.)

STOCKS.

	50 Ind.	20 RR.	20 Ut.	90 Tl.
Yesterday	49.4	24.4	87.2	52.2
Previous day	49.8	24.8	88.1	54.0
Week ago	53.3	27.7	91.3	56.0
Month ago	55.1	27.7	89.9	57.0
Year ago	83.7	35.1	99.0	65.8
Three years ago	163.0	129.5	195.0	163.2
Five years ago	147.1	122.8	126.7	134.1
High, 1932	72.7	39.8	111.9	73.6
Low, 1932	35.1	13.2	81.8	46.0
High, 1931	140.2	106.2	203.9	144.3
Low, 1931	60.0	30.8	92.8	61.3
High, 1930	294.1	141.6	281.2	208.2
Low, 1930	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7

BONDS.

	20 Ind.	20 RR.	20 Ut.	60 Tl.
Yesterday	62.6	58.0	81.0	67.2
Previous day	63.1	58.7	81.4	67.6
Week ago	62.7	60.7	81.1	68.1
Month ago	62.8	62.5	81.2	69.0
Year ago	65.6	70.6	82.3	72.9
Two years ago	86.3	100.8	97.3	94.8
Three years ago	91.1	104.1	98.7	98.0
High, 1932	71.3	78.0	86.2	78.1
Low, 1932	53.2	47.4	70.8	57.5
High, 1931	90.4	105.7	101.5	98.7
Low, 1931	62.3	62.3	80.2	72.4
High, 1930	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low, 1930	83.3	97.3	96.6	92.6

(Copyright, 1932, Standard Statistics Co.)

INVESTMENT TRUSTS.

(Quotations furnished by Wagaman, Brawner & Co., Inc.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Amn. Bank Stock Corp	1.45	1.70
Bullock Fund	11½	12½
Corp. Tr. Shs., accum. series	1.58	1.81
Corp. Tr. Shs., AA series	1.58	1.81
Corp. Tr. Shs., old series	1.65	
Cumulative Trust Shares	2.70	
Diver. Trustee Shs., series C	2.00	2.25
Dividend shares, Inc	1.06	1.13
Independence Trust Shares	1.65	1.95
Nationwide, series B	2.45	2.70
Nationwide, Voting	7¾	8¼
N. Y. Bank Trust Shares	3½	3¾
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1952	1.73	
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1953	1.76	1.95
N. Amn. Tr. Shs., series 1956	1.75	1.95
Spencer Trask Fund, Inc	9¼	10¼
Super Corp. of A., ser. AA&BB	1.45	1.65
Super Corp. of A., series C	4.40	4.90
Super Corp. of A., series D	4.10	4.80
U. S. E. L. P. S., Voting	8½	9.00
U. S. E. L. P. S., series B	2.50	2.75

TREASURY CERTIFICATES.

(Reported by Charles D Barney & Co.)

Rate.	Maturity.	Offer.	Bid.
3¾	Feb. 1, 1933	100 19-32	100 21-32
3¾	Mar. 15, 1933	100 31-32	101 1-32
2	Mar. 15, 1933	100 19-32	
2	May 2, 1933	100 23-32	100 25-32
1½	June 15, 1933	100 21-32	100 23-32
1¼	Sept. 15, 1933	100 22-32	100 24-32
2	Mar. 15, 1934	101 5-32	101 7-32
2¼	Aug. 1, 1934	101 29-32	101 31-32
3	June 15, 1935	102 29-32	102 31-32
3¼	Aug. 1, 1936	102 27-32	102 29-32
3¼	Mar. 15, 1937	101 31-32	102 1-32
3¼	Sept. 15, 1937	102 16-32	102 18-32
¾	Dec. 15, 1933	100 12-32	100 14-32

BALTIMORE SECURITIES.

Baltimore, Dec. 22.—Closing prices:

Arundel Corporation	17
Com. Credit preferred B	19½
Com. C. & S.	64
Consolidation Coal	.08
Eastern Rolling Mills	1½
Fidelity & Deposit	42
Kennecott Copper	7¼
Mortgage Bond & Title	1
New Amsterdam Casualty	17
Southern Bankers, preferred	.05
United Porto Rican Sugar	.06
Uni. Rys. & Elec.	11
U. S. Fidelity & Guar	3½

BANK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Over-the-counter market:

BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bank of Manhattan (2)	26	28
Chase Natl (2)	23½	25½
Commercial (8)	138	148
Fifth Ave (44s)	1325	1425
First Natl (100)	1535	1600
Natl City (2)	30¾	31¾
Public (2)	27	29

TRUST COMPANIES.

Bankers (3)	65¾	67¾
Bklyn Trust (10)	165	180
Cen Hanover (7a)	143	147
Chemical (1.80)	36¾	38¾
Continental (1.20)	17½	19½
Corn Exch (4)	70	75
Empire (1.60)	22¾	24¾
Guaranty (2.20)	32¾	35¾
Irving (1.60)	22½	24¾
Manufacturers (2)	28	30
N Y Trust (6)	75	80
Title G & T (3.20)	31	34
United States (60)	1570	1670

INSURANCE.

Aetna Cas (1.60)	32	34
Aetna Fire (2)	25½	27½
Aetna Life	31½	33½
Agricultural (2)	37½	42½
Am Surety	9¼	11¼
Bait Amer	2¾	3¾
Boston (10)	290	315
Conn Gen Life (1.20)	28½	29½
Fid & Dep (4)	40	43
Firemens Ins (.60)	17	19
Frank Fire (1)	13½	14½
Glen Falls (1.80)	25¾	27¾
Globe & Rut	6	8
Great Amer (1)	11	12½
Hanover (1.60)	22½	24½
Hartford Fire (2)	34½	36½
Home Ins (1)	13	15
Mass Bond	14	19
Natl Fire (2)	34¾	36¾
Natl Liberty	3	4½
Nor River (.60)	8½	10½
Phoenix (2)	48	51
Prov Wash (.80b)	18¾	19¾
Public (10)	175	185
St Paul Fire (6)	99	103
Sun Life	330	350
Travelers (16)	334	350

We Recommend	Continuous Dividends for
Chase Bank	55 yrs.
Chemical Bk. & Tr.	105 yrs.
Irving Trust	61 yrs.
Manufacturers Tr.	23 yrs.
National City Bk.	19 yrs.

Outright or Monthly Payments.
Special Analysis on Request.

Robert C. Jones & Co.
Shoreham Bldg. ME. 2925-26-24.

BOND MARKET SAGS UNDER HEAVY SALES

Secondary Rails Blamed; Trading Volume Up to $12,279,000.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Gains and losses battled in the bond market today with the latter winning by a wide margin.

While United States Government securities were strong and active, two of the Liberties and six of the Treasuries climbing to new high levels for the year, most of the secondary rails displayed extreme weakness. The highest grade utilities and industrials were relatively steady, although some specialties were under pressure.

Sales stepped up to a total of $12,279,000, par value. The increased turnover was accounted for principally by the Government section and a few corporation maturities. Federal transactions aggregated $2,705,000, at par. The Associated Press-Standard Statistics average for 60 corporate loans declined half a point, the largest recession for a single day since November 2.

There was little in the news to account for the sharp attack on the rails. Among the outstanding sufferers were some issues of Alleghany Corporation, Baltimore & Ohio, Atlantic Coast Line, Central Pacific, Chesapeake Corporation, Chicago Great Western and St. Paul. Chicago & Northwestern.

The most active bonds, aside from the Federals, were Chicago & Northwestern 4½s, with a turnover of 344 at a loss of ⅞ of a point, and Interborough Rapid Transit refunding 5s of which 340 changed hands at a gain of 2½ points.

American Telephone convertible 5s lost a point, but the company's other bonds were rather steady.

Building in 37 States Drops In 15 Days to $42,146,000

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—New building construction contracts awarded in the 37 States east of the Rockies during the first fifteen days of December totaled $42,146,000, reports F. W. Dodge Corporation. This compares with $50,990,300 for the first half of November.

"The November contract record for construction of all descriptions made a creditable showing," says the report. "Though the month's total of $105,302,300 for the 37 Eastern States represented a decline of more than $2,000,000 from the October total, reduced to a daily average basis there was an increase in November as contrasted with the longer month preceding it. If full allowance is given to seasonal factors, the November record was sizably better than that of October. In addition, November showed an actual gain over October of about 1,000,000 square feet in the amount of new floor space involved. This, too, is contrary to the usual seasonal condition between the two months."

November awards for residential building totaled $19,245,300 against $21,855,600 in October and $45,290,400 in November, 1931. For the first eleven months of 1932 this classification showed a volume of $267,110,400 against $775,225,200 for the same 1931 period. The November decline of about 58 per cent compared with a cumulative drop for 1932 of about 66 per cent. Nonresidential contracts for November were valued at $31,844,800 against $27,117,400 for October and $37,871,500 a year ago. The year's volume to December 1 totals $455,844,700, compared with $1,060,133,300 for the same period of 1931.

FLOUR MARKET.

Minneapolis, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—FLOUR—Unchanged. Shipments, 22,325. Bran, 9.00@9.50.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—FLOUR—Barely steady; spring patents, 3.40@3.85; soft winter straights, 3.00@3.20; hard winter straights, 3.15@3.40.

CORNMEAL—Quiet; fine white and yellow granulated, 1.05@1.10.

THE METAL MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—COPPER—Quiet; electrolytic, spot, 5; future, 5½.

TIN—Steady; spot and nearby, 22.87; future, 23.00.

IRON—Quiet, unchanged.

LEAD—Dull; spot, New York, 3.00; East St. Louis, 2.87.

ZINC—Quiet; East St. Louis, spot and future, 3.12.

ANTIMONY—5.40.

BANK OF FRANCE.

Paris, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes in francs: Gold decreased 75,000,000; sight balances abroad decreased 51,000,000; bills discounted at home decreased 171,000,000; bills bought abroad decreased 11,000,000; advances increased 20,000,000; circulation decreased 447,000,000; current accounts increased 47,000,000.

Rate of discount, 2½ per cent.

SILK MARKET.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Raw silk futures closed easy; sales, 1,900 bales. December, *1.35; March, 1.38; May, *1.38. Open market quotations (60-day basis). Shanghai steam extra, 2, 1.90; Canton double extra, A, 14-16, 1.12. Japanese crack, double extra, 1.62.

*Bid.

GOODS MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Cotton goods were quieter today, but firm in the gray cloth division. Finished goods were irregular and quiet. Burlaps were priced on nominal levels pending a more stable exchange. Havens were firm. Silk and wool goods were quiet, due to approach of holidays.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes in pounds: Total reserve decreased 17,519,000; circulation decreased 2,158,000; bullion decreased 19,677,000; other securities increased 3,619,000; public deposits decreased 712,000; other deposits increased 12,228,000; notes reserve decreased 17,475,000; government securities increased 25,428,000.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability is 18.14 per cent, compared with 33.31 last week.

Rate of discount, 2 per cent.

U. S. TREASURY RECEIPTS.

(Associated Press.)

Treasury receipts for December 20 were $10,831,389.65; expenditures, $10,789,616.90; balance, $436,201,914.84; customs duties for twenty days of December were $14,767,547.49.

COMMODITY PRICE INDEX.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Index of 15 staple commodity prices: Today, 79.6; previous day, 79.8; week ago, 81.0; month ago, 86.1; 1932 high, 100.0; 1932 low, 79.8.

(Copyright, 1932, by Moody's.)

CURB SINKS LOWER AS SALES INCREASE

Losses Ranged to 2 Points on Day's Turnover of 170,000 Shares.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The curb market was unable today to stand up against the twin forces of declining prices in the principal commodity markets and on the stock exchange. Prices dipped from fractions to 2 points among representative shares, although selling was not particularly heavy, transfers totaling about 170,000 shares, against 160,000 yesterday.

The utilities made a fair show of resistance. Electric Bond & Share was under consistent pressure, both preferred and common stocks of the company, declining more than a point.

Oils did fairly well, except for Gulf which yielded more than 2. Humble and Standard issues were steady.

Mining shares were soggy, due in part to reports of further copper price weakening abroad although domestic prices continued steady at 5 cents a pound for delivery up to March.

Aluminum lost more than a point. Deere yielded a substantial fraction. A. O. Smith dipped about 3 points. Ford of Canada "B" lost 2 on an odd-lot transaction, but the more active "A" stock was steady.

Railroad Credit Grants All Fixed Charge Loans

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The Railroad Credit Corporation today indicated that all applications by railroads for funds to meet January 1 fixed charges have been taken care of.

To carriers not earning their interest requirements for this purpose, the corporation has advanced $10,000,000. It loaned $9,000,000 to meet last July 1 interest payments of nonearning carriers. The heaviest interest payments on railroad bonds become due on these dates.

Britain Denies Privilege To U. S.-Canada Grains

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—British customs authorities today decided against American lake ports, such as Buffalo, in the matter of wheat shipped through them from Canada to the United Kingdom.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 21 (A.P.).—The British decision that Canadian grain stored at United States ports and then sold to United Kingdom buyers can not claim preferential treatment, strikes a blow at Buffalo as the greatest United States grain port.

Buffalo built its standing to a great extent through the storage during the winter months of millions of bushels of Canadian grain, which was shipped from Buffalo as a market was found for it.

Light and Power Elect Gruhl.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—An announcement was made today by the North American Co., that Edwin Gruhl, president, had been elected president of the North American Light & Power Co., to succeed the late Clement Studebaker, jr.

WHEAT VALUES DROP AS CORN LEADS LOSS

Grain Market Influenced by Slump in Securities; Oats Decline Also.

Chicago, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Flurried by an outbreak of stop-loss selling on the part of holders of corn future deliveries, all grains plunged downward today.

The entire list of corn future contracts broke the season's low-price record, and so too did May and July wheat. July oats equaled their previous low. Indications that a prominent Chicago trader had let go of a big line of corn were largely responsible for unsettlement of the corn market.

Corn closed unstable at about the day's bottom figures, ¾ to 1¼ under yesterday's finish; wheat, ¾ to ⅞ down; oats, ⅛ to ½ off, and provisions unchanged to 12 cents lower.

Contributing to weakness of grain values were New York stock market setbacks. An unusual dearth of purchase orders for grains except at lower price levels was also apparent. Little rallying power developed in any of the pits, and the climax came just before trading was ended. A profusion of stop-loss selling at this stage overwhelmed the corn market and spread quickly to wheat and other cereals.

Unexpected upturns in Liverpool wheat quotations were practically ignored by wheat traders. Throughout the day wheat was under the shadow of corn weakness and of New York stock market unsettlement. Oats followed corn.

Provisions sympathized with grains.

Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No sales.

CORN—New; No. 3 yellow, 22@23½; No. 3 white, 22@22½; old, No. 2 yellow, 24¼@25; No. 2 white, 24@24¾.

OATS—No. 2 white, 16¼@16½.

RYE—No sales.

BARLEY—24@37.

TIMOTHY SEED—2.25@2.50 per cwt.

CLOVER SEED—5.50@8.50 per cwt.

Stock Exchange Votes To Keep Open Saturday

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Governors of the New York Stock Exchange decided today that the exchange will remain open on Saturday, December 24. Many members had petitioned for an extra Christmas holiday on that date.

Philippines Goods Put On London Free List

London, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The treasury issued an order today placing on the free list for import into the United Kingdom, effective December 9, Manila hemp, most of which is produced in the Philippines; iron, bromide, bristles, nonprecious imitation or artificial stones and beads, foreign patent office specifications and tantalum metal.

MONEY MARKETS

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Foreign exchange irregular; Great Britain, dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain—Demand, 3.33¾; cables, 3.33¾; 60-day bills, 3.31¾.

France — Demand, 3.90¼; cables, 3.90 5-16.

Italy—Demand, 5.11¾; cables, 5.11¾.

Belgium—Demand, 13.88.

Germany—Demand, 23.80½.

Holland—Demand, 40.12½.

Norway—Demand, 17.47½.

Sweden—Demand, 18.16½.

Denmark—Demand, 17.24½.

Switzerland—Demand, 19.28½.

Spain—Demand, 8.15.

*Portugal—Demand, 3.04.

*Greece—Demand, 82 5-16.

*Poland—Demand, 11.16.

*Czechoslovakia—Demand, 2.86½.

*Jugoslavia—Demand, 1.38.

*Austria—Demand, 14.06.

*Roumania—Demand, 89¾.

Argentina—Demand, 25.79.

*Brazil—Demand, 7.9½.

*Tokio—Demand, 31.81.

Shanghai—Demand, 27.50.

Montreal—Demand, 97.12½.

Mexico City (silver basis)—Demand, 33.42.

*Nominal.

NEW YORK.

Call money steady; 1 per cent all day. Time loans steady; 60 to 90 days, ½; 4 months, ¾; 5 to 6 months, 1 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 1½. Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

Bar silver barely steady, ¼ lower, at 24½.

LONDON.

Money, ¾. Discount rates, short bills, 1 3-16@1¼; three-month bills, 1 1/16-1 per cent. Bar silver quiet, ⅛ lower, at 18 9-16d.

PARIS.

Three per cent rentes, 77 francs 70 centimes; 4½ per cent rentes, 93.70. Exchange on London, 80.43. The dollar was quoted at 28.62½.

RUSH PRINTING
EXPERT SERVICE
HIGH GRADE—NOT HIGH PRICED
BYRON S. ADAMS
"I Never Disappoint"

REAL ESTATE NOTES YIELDING 6% INTEREST
TYLER & RUTHERFORD, Inc.
First trust notes, well secured on detached modern residences, for sale at par and accrued interest.
1520 K St. N.W. NA. 0475

6% FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS
Secured on income-producing properties in the Nation's Capital. Safe investments in denominations from $100 may be purchased on monthly payments.
Real Estate Mortgage and Guaranty Corp.
1810 K STREET. NAT. 1462.

EQUITABLE
Co-Operative Building Association
Organized 1879
53D YEAR COMPLETED
Think of the Future By Saving Now
Join the Equitable and save systematically. Our plan will meet with your approval.
Subscriptions for the 104th Issue of Stock Being Received
EQUITABLE BUILDING
915 F Street N. W.
JOHN JOY EDSON, President
WALTER S. PRATT, Jr., Secretary

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Total today, 1,297,658. Previous day, 737,980. Week ago, 1,178,602. Year ago, 1,118,683. Two years ago, holiday. January 1 to date, 419,265,473. Year ago, 569,821,746. Two years ago, 793,918,770.

Sales in hundreds	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
A					
17 Adams Exp	5	4¾	4¾	— ¼	4¾
3 Adams-Millis (2)	15	15	15	— 1¼	14½
3 Addressog	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ¼	9
1 Advance Rumely	2¼	2¼	2¼	—	2½
3 Affiliat Prod (1.60)	10	9	9	—	8¾
42 Air Reduc (3)	59½	58¾	58¾	— 1¼	58½
1 Air-Way El Ap	1½	1½	1½	—	1½
32 Alaska Jun (¾)	13¾	13	13¾	+ ¼	13¾
3 Albany & Susq (11b) EX	154	154	154	+ 18	150
139 Allegheny	1⅛	1	1	—	1
4 Allegh pf xw	2	2	2	—	1¾
3 Allegh pf $30 ww	2	2	2	—	1¾
3 Allegh pf $40 ww	2¼	2¼	2¼	—	1¾
203 Al Chem & Dye (6)	80	76½	78¾	— 2¾	78
15 Allis-Ch Mfg	7¾	7	7	—	7
3 Alpha P Cem	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ¼	7½
1 Amal Leather	4½	4½	4½	—	4½
26 Am Agricultural Chem Del	8¾	7¾	8	— ¾	8
2 Am Bank Note	11½	11	11	—	10½
.10 Am Bank N pf (3)	36½	36½	36½	—	38
1 Am Best Sug	½	½	½	—	½
.70 Am Beet S pf	3	2½	2½	— ¾	2½
2 Am Brake Shoe (.80)	9¾	9¼	9¾	— ¼	9¾
4 Am Br Shoe pf (7)	69¼	68	68	— 1½	66
186 Am Can (4)	54¼	51½	51¾	— 1¾	51¾
1 Am Can pf (7)	121	121	121	+ 1	121
4 Am Car & Fdy	6	5¾	5¾	— ¼	5¾
1 Am Chain	3¼	3¼	3¼	—	2¾
2 Am Chain pf	9¼	9¼	9¼	—	9
2 Am Chicle (2b)	37	37	37	—	34
6 Am Coml Alco	19	18¼	18¼	— 1	18¼
1 Am Encaus Til			¾	—	4
36 Am & For Pow	6¼	6¼	6¼	—	6¼
2 Am & For P 1st pf	5	5	5	—	5
4 Am & F P 2 pf	7¼	7	7	—	6¾
2 Am-Hawaii S S (1)	4½	4½	4½	+ ¼	4½
1 Am Hide & Leather	2¼	2¼	2¼	—	2¼
1 Am Ice pf & pf	12½	12½	12½	—	12½
6 Am Home Pr (4.20)	36¼	36¼	36½	—	36½
18 Am Ice	4¼	4¼	4¾	—	4¼
28 Am Internat	7	6¾	6¾	—	6¾
1 Am Loco	5	5	5	—	5
34 Am Loco pf	18¾	18¾	18¾	—	18¾
5 Am Mach & Fdy (.80)	12¾	12	12	—	11¾
3 Am Metal	3½	3½	3½	—	3½
150 Du Pont de N (2)	37	35¼	35½	— 1¼	35¾
1.10 Am N G pf	17	16½	16½	— ¼	16½
27 Am P & Lt	7	7	7	—	7
13 Am P&L $6 pf (3)	20½	19¾	20	—	19
2 Am P&L $6 pf (M&N)	17¾	16½	17½	— ¼	15
41 Am Rad Std San	7	6¾	6¾	—	6¾
21 Am Roll Mill	7¾	7¼	7¼	—	7
3 Am Safety Raz (3)	21½	21	21	—	21
5 Am Ship & Com	¾	¾	¾	—	¾
59 Am Smelt & R	11¾	10¼	10¼	— 1½	10
5 Am Smelt pf A	33	33	33	— 2	33
6 Am Smelt 2 pf	23	23	23	— 5	23
1.00 Am Snuff pf (6) EX	103	103	103	+ 3½	101
5 Am Stl Fdry	5¼	5¼	5¼	—	5¼
4 Am Sugar Ref (2)	22¾	21¾	21¾	—	21¾
236 Am Tel & Tel (9)	104½	101¼	101¼	— 2¼	101¼
14 Am Tob (5m)	56	55	55¾	— ¼	55¾
95 Am Tob B (5m)	58	56½	57½	+ ¾	57
4 Am Tob pf (6)	114	113	114	+ 1	113½
.65 Am Type F pf	11¾	11¼	11¾	+ ¼	11¾
12 Am Wat Wks (1)	16¾	15¾	15¾	— ¾	15¾
1 Am Woolen	4¼	4¼	4¼	—	4¼
8 Am Woolen pf	24	23	23	— 1	22½
1 Am Zinc Ld & S pf	2¼	2½	2½	—	2½
135 Anaconda	6¼	5½	5¾	— ¼	5¾
1 Anchor Cap (.60)	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ¾	9¾
.10 Anchor Cap pf (6½) EX	60	63	63	+ 1¾	61¾
6 Archer-Dan-M (1)	10½	10¼	10¼	—	10
5 Armour Del pf (7)	39½	38	38	— ¾	37
6 Arm Ill A	1	1	1	—	¾
6 Arm Ill B	¾			—	¾
10 Arnold Const	1¾	1¼	1¼	— ¼	1¼
1.50 Artloom pf (1k)	50¼	50¼	50¼	+ ¼	50
11 Art Metal Const	3½	3½	3½	— ¼	3½
3 Assd Dry Gds	3¾	3¾	3¾	—	3¾
7 Assd Dry Gds 1 pf	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ¼	18½
1 Assd D Gds 2d pf	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ¾	12¾
135 Atch T & S F	39¾	37	37½	— 1¾	37
2 Atchison pf (5)	57	56¾	56¾	— ¼	57½
5 Atl Coast Line	17	16¾	16¾	—	16¾
9 Atl Refin (1)	15½	15¼	15½	—	15¾
4 Atlas Pow	8½	8½	8½	—	8½
.20 Atlas Pow pf (6)	61½	61½	61½	— ½	61
151 Auburn Auto (4a)	51¾	47½	47½	— 3	47½
140 Aviation Corp	7¼	7	7¼	—	7
B					
10 Baldwin Loc	4¾	4½	4½	— ¼	4¼
2.10 Bald Loc pf	11½	10½	11	— ½	41
76 Balt & Ohio	8½	7½	7¾	— ¾	7½
20 Balt & O pf	10¾	9	9	— 1¾	8¾
.30 Bamberger pf (6½)	72¼	72¼	72¼	+ ¼	72½
1 Bang & Ar (2)	20	20	20	—	19½
.80 Barker pf	8	8	8	+ 1	7
10 Barnsdall	3¾	3¾	3¾	—	3¾
.80 Baruk Cigar	5	4¼	4¼	—	4¼
.50 Bayuk 1st pf (7)	32	30½	30½	—	30½
6 Beatrice Cr	11½	11	11	—	10¾
2 Beech Nut P (3)	43¾	43¼	43¼	—	42¾
2 Belding Hem	4½	4½	4½	—	4½
37 Bendix Aviat	10¼	9¾	10	—	9¾
5 Best & Co	10¾	10½	10½	— ¾	10¾
34 Bethlehem Steel	13¾	12¼	12¾	— ½	12¾
4 Bethlehem Steel pf	27¾	27	27½	+ 1	26
2 Blaw Knox		4¾	4¾	—	4½
7 Bohn Alum	13	12¾	13¼	—	12
32 Borden (2)	25½	24¼	24¼	— 1½	24½
12 Borg Warner	8½	8¼	8¼	—	8
1 Boston & Me	6¼	6¼	6¼	—	6¼
6 Briggs Mfg	4¼	4¼	4¼	—	4¼
1 Briggs & Strat (1) EX	8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ¼	7½
9 Bklyn & Qu T	3½	3¾	3¾	— ¼	3½
1 Bklyn & Q T pf (8)	40	40	40	— 2	37
63 Bklyn Man T	25½	23¾	24	— 1	23¾
3 Bklyn Un Gas (5)	78	77	77	— 1¼	78
12 Bucyrus Erie	2¾	2½	2½	— ¼	2½
4 Bucyrus Erie cvt pf	3½	3	3	—	3
.10 Budd Mfg pf	5	5	5	—	4
7 Budd Wheel	1½	1½	1½	—	1¾
1 Burma Bros	¾	¾	¾	—	¾
1 Burr Ad Mach (.40)	8	8	8	+ ¼	7½
40 Bush T 7% deb	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ¼	7¾
3 Butte & Sup	1½	1½	1½	—	1½
3 Butte Cop & Z	¾	¾	¾	—	¾
15 Byers Co	12½	11¾	11¾	— ¾	11½
20 Byers pf (7)	44	44	44	— 1½	43¼
C					
16 Calif Pack	9	8½	8½	— ¾	8½
9 Callahan Z Ld		¼	¼	—	2½
3 Calumet & Hec	2½	2½	2½	—	2½
8 Canada D G Ale (1)	9½	8¾	8¾	—	8¾
128 Canada Pac	13¾	13¼	13¼	— ¼	13¼
2 Cannon Mills (1) EX	15½	15½	15½	—	15
2 Cap Adm A	6¾	6½	6¾	—	6
246 Case J I	42¾	38¾	38½	— ¾

RESERVE BANKS CUT CREDITS $2,000,000

Advances for Week Total $2,192,000,000; Gain Over '31 Period.

(Associated Press.)

The daily average volume of Federal Reserve Bank credit outstanding during the week ended December 21 was reported by Federal Reserve banks yesterday as $2,192,000,000, a decrease of $2,000,000 compared with the preceding week and an increase of $227,000,000 compared with the corresponding week in 1931.

On December 21 total reserve bank credit amounted to $2,180,000,000, a decline of $9,000,000 for the week. This decrease corresponds with a gain of $119,000,000 in monetary gold stock, offset in part by increases of $66,000,000 in money in circulation, $21,000,000 in member bank reserve balances and $8,000,000 in unexpended capital funds, nonmember deposits, &c., and a decrease of $14,000,000 in Treasury currency adjusted.

Holdings of discounted bills declined $6,000,000 at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, $3,000,000 each at Cleveland and Atlanta and $14,000,000 at all Federal Reserve banks combined. The system's holdings of bills bought in open market and of the United States Government bonds showed little change for the week, while holdings of Treasury certificates and bills increased $70,000,000. Holdings of United States Treasury notes dropped by the same amount.

During the week the Federal Reserve Bank in New York, in connection with the December 15 war debt payment by the British government to the United States, made available in New York for account of the Bank of England gold to the amount of $95,550,000. This was listed against the earmark in London pending shipment to New York of an equivalent amount of gold for the account of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. This gold is shown in the statement as "gold held abroad."

RESERVE BANK STATEMENT.

Following is a statement of the combined resources and liabilities in the twelve Federal Reserve Banks for the week ended Decemoer 21:

RESOURCES.

Gold with Federal Reserve agents	$2,297,515,000
Gold redemption fund with U. S. Treasury	40,350,000
Gold held exclusively against F. R. notes	$2,237,865,000
Gold settlement fund with F. R. Board	321,942,000
Gold and gold certificates held by banks	451,814,000
Total gold reserves	$3,111,621,000
Reserves other than gold	169,370,000
Total reserves	$3,280,991,000
Nonreserve cash	70,234,000
Bills discounted:	
Sec. by U. S. Govt. obligations	77,378,000
Other bills discounted	192,937,000
Total bills discounted	270,315,000
Bills bought in open market	33,221,000
U. S. Govt. securities:	
Bonds	420,703,000
Treasury notes	286,908,000
Certificates and bills	1,143,088,000
Total U. S. Govt. securities	$1,850,699,000
Other securities	5,571,000
Total bills and securities	$2,159,806,000
Gold held abroad	95,550,000
Due from foreign banks	2,868,000
F. R. notes of other banks	13,556,000
Uncollected items	358,810,000
Bank premises	58,212,000
All other resources	3,355,000
Total resources	$6,075,829,000

LIABILITIES.

F. R. notes in actual circulation	$2,756,363,000
Deposits:	
Member bank—reserve acct	2,446,056,000
Government	36,549,000
Foreign	19,210,000
Other deposits	19,872,000
Total deposits	$2,521,398,000
Deferred availability items	341,884,000
Capital paid in	151,334,000
Surplus	259,421,000
All other liabilities	45,429,000
Total liabilities	$6,075,829,000

Ratio of total reserves to deposit and F. R. note liabilities combined, 62.2 per cent.

Contingent liability on bills purchased for foreign correspondents, $36,171,000.

Washington Stocks

(Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co.)

Sales—Regular call, 11:15 a. m.: Capital Traction Co., 10 at 51¼, 10 at 51½, 10 at 51¾, 10 at 51¾, 30 at 51¾, 10 at 51¾, 10 at 51¾, 10 at 51½.

Washington Ry. & Elec. 4s, $1,000 at 87½.

BONDS.
PUBLIC UTILITY.

	Bid	Asked.
Amn. Tel. & Tel. 4½s, 39	105⅛	.....
Amn. Tel. & Tel. cll. tr. 5s, 1946	104	.....
Anacostia & Pot. R. R. 5s	35	41
Ana. & Pot. Guar. 5s	90	.....
C. & P. Tel. of Va. 5s	102	105
Capital Traction R. R. 5s	37½	40½
City & Suburban 5s	36	50
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s	101½	.....
Potomac Elec. cons. 5s	103¼	.....
Potomac Elec. 6s 1953	108	.....
Washington Gas 4½s	99¾	.....
Washington Gas 5s	101½	.....
Wash. Gas 6s, series A	100	101
Wash. Gas 6s, series B	103½	.....
Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4s	87¼	88

MISCELLANEOUS.

Barber & Ross, Inc. 6½s	50	.....
Chevy Chase Club 5½s	100	.....
Columbia Country Club 5½s	100	103
D. C. Capper Mfg. 6s	15	.....
Wash. Mkt. Cold Storage 5s	91	94

STOCKS.
PUBLIC UTILITY.

Amn. Tel. & Tel. (9)	102½	.....
Capital Traction Co.	51½	63¼
Wash. Gas Light Co. (18)	60	75
Nor. & Wash. Steamboat (8)	99	110
Pot. Elec. Power 6% pfd.	109	112
Pot. Elec. Power 5½% pfd.	106¾	.....
Wash. Ry. & El. com. (7)	295	375
Wash. Ry. & El. pfd. (5)	86½	89

The following figures are bid bids, but merely represent minimum prices fixed by the Washington Stock Exchange.

NATIONAL BANK.

	Min. price.
Capital (8)	175
Columbia (12)	375
Commercial (stamped) (6)	183
District (6)	196
Fed.-Amer. Natl. Bk. & Tr. (2)	42½
Liberty (78)	190
Lincoln (10)	140
Metropolitan (14)	275
Riggs (12)	350
Second (6)	165
Washington (6)	180

TRUST COMPANIES.

Amer. Secur. & Tr. Co. (15)	299
Natl. Sec. & Tr. (12½)	375
Prince Georges Bk. & Tr. (3)	28
Union Trust (8a)	191
Wash. Loan & Tr. (14)	400

SAVINGS BANKS.

Bank of Bethesda (61)	53
Com. & Savings (10)	325
East Washington (12)	20
Potomac (10)	35
Sec. Sav. & Com. Bk (10)	435
Seventh Street (6)	275
United States (30)	530
Wash. Mechanics (20)	50

FIRE INSURANCE.

American (12)	275
Corcoran (10)	150
Firemen's (8)	30
National Union (15)	14½

TITLE INSURANCE.

Columbia (6h)	7
Real Estate (6h)	145

MISCELLANEOUS.

Col. Medical Bldg. Corp (6)	90
Dist Natl. Sec. pfd.	60
Emer. Bromo-Seltz "A" (2)	*25½
Federal Storage pfd.	80
Fed.-Am. Co. com (60c)	15
Fed.-Am. Co. pfd (6)	80
Lanston Monotype (6)	58
Mer. Tr. & Stge com.	30
Mer. Tr. & Stge pfd.	74½
Mergenthaler Linotype (3)	58
Natl. Mtge. & Inv. pfd (6)	3
Peoples Drug Stores pfd. (6½)	*75
Real Est. M. & G. pfd (6)	4½
Security Storage (5f)	97¼
Ter Ref. & Wh. Corp. (3)	42
The Carpel Corp. (2)	9½
W. Mtge. & Inv. com (8)	8
Wash. Med. Bldg. Corp (7)	90
Wdwd. & Lothrop com. (1.20)	29½
Wdwd. & Lothrop pfd (7)	105

*Ex-dividend. ½% extra. 42% extra. 24% extra. 55% extra.

Bank Rate Unchanged.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—The directors of the New York Federal Reserve Bank today announced no change in the prevailing rediscount rate of 2½ per cent.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET TRANSACTIONS

Total sales, $12,279,000; previous day, $11,781,000; week ago, $10,442,000; year ago, $9,715,000; two years ago, holiday; January 1 to date, $2,898,563,000; same year ago, $3,012,225,000; same two years ago, $2,728,740,000.

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.
(Dollars and thirty-seconds.)
(Sales in $1,000.)

Sale		High.	Low.	Last.
1003	L 3½ '32-47	102.28	102.10	102.20
16	L 1st 4¼ '32-47	102.6	102.3	102.6
44	L 4th 4¼ '33-38	103.27	103.23	103.27
4	L4th 4¼ r '33-38	103.22	103.22	103.22
178	Tr 4¼ '47-52	109.20	109.12	109.17
395	Tr 4 '44-54	108.1	108.1	108.1
150	Tr 3¾ '46-56	104.8	103.29	104.2
7	Tr 3½ '40-43 Je	101.31	101.30	101.31
6	Tr 3½ '43-47	101.30	101.20	101.30
71	Tr 3½ '41-43 Mh	101.30	101.26	101.29
561	Tr 3¼ '46-49	99.3	98.26	99.2
225	Tr 3 '51-55	97.10	97.5	97.9

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sale		High.	Low.	Last.
	A			
27	Alleghany 5 '44	26½	24½	24¼
27	Am&For P 5 2030	31	29¾	29¾
7	Am I G Ch 5½ '49	71	70½	70½
5	Am Internat 5½ '49	76¾	76½	76½
5	Am Metal 5½ '34	65½	65½	65½
12	Am Smelt 5 '47	83	80½	82
2	Am Sug Ref 6 '37	105¼	105	105¼
14	Am T & T 5½ '43	109	108½	108½
21	Am T & T 5 '65	105½	105	105
18	Am T&T cvt 4½ '39	106	105	105
14	Am W W & El 5 '34	92	92	92
28	Arm Del 5½ '43	75½	75	75
20	AT&SF cvt 4½ '48	90¼	90½	90½
46	AT&SF gen 4 '95	93½	92¼	92¾
9	A C Line 1st 4 '52	71	71	71
2	Atl Gulf &WI 5 '59	37	37	37
	B			
32	B & O rfg 6 '95	36	35	35
6	B & O rfg 5 '95	33½	32½	32½
101	B & O 4½ '33	61	59¾	60½
96	B & O cvt 4½ '60	24¾	22	22
6	Bell T Pa 5 C '60	108½	108⅛	108⅛
5	Bost & Me 5 '67	62⅛	61½	61½
6	Bklyn Ed 5 '52 E	107	107	107
73	Bklyn M Tr 6 '68	91	89¾	90
2	Buf G E 4½ '81B	104¾	104¾	104¾
7	Buf R&P 4½ '57	31½	30¾	31½
	C			
9	Can N Ry 4½ '57	84¾	84	84¾
12	Can Nor 7 '40	100⅞	100⅝	100⅞
12	Can Pac deb 4 perp	67	65⅝	66
1	Cen Pac 1st 5 '51	72	72	72
5	Cen P 1st gtd 4 '49	78¾	78¾	78¾
20	Certain-teed 5½ '48	35	34	35
12	Chesap Corp 5 '47	66	65	65
27	C & O gen 4½ '92	100	99	99
9	CB & Q 4½ '77	80	80	80
4	Chi & E Ill 5 '51	11¾	11¾	11¾
15	Chi Gt West 4 '59	34	31½	31½
57	C M & S P P 5 '75	15	14	14
106	CMSP&P adj 5 2000	4	4	4⅛
256	C & N W cv 4¾ '49	11	10	10½
31	CRI&P cvt 4½ '60	11½	10	10
17	CRI&P rfg 4 '34	22½	21¼	21¼
19	Chile Cop 5 '47	36¾	34	34
6	Clin G & El 7 '68	97½	97½	97½
1	Cleve Un T 4½ '77C	58	58	58
3	Colon Oil 6 '38	45	40	40
3	Col & So 1st 4½ '35	75¼	75¼	75¼
9	Col G&E 5 '52 May	83½	83½	83½
56	Com Inv Tr 5½ '49	100	99½	100
4	Con G NY 5½ '45	106½	106⅜	106½
5	Cuba N Rys 5½ '42	16	15¼	15¼
46	Cuba C Prod 6 '50	1¼	1	1
	D			
8	D & Hud rfr 4 '43	79½	78½	78½
7	D & R G con 4 '36	32½	31½	31½
5	Del Ed 5 '49 A	101⅝	101⅛	101⅜
24	Del Ed 4½ '61 D	97¼	97	97
5	Dodge E deb 6 '40	89	88½	89
23	Duque Lt 4½ '67	104⅝	104½	104⅝
	E			
56	Erie rf&imp 5 '67	22½	20½	20½
	G			
10	Gen Cable 5½ '47	54	54	54
3	Gen Motor Ac 6 '37	102½	102⅛	102½
1	Gen Stl Cast 5½ '49	58	58	58
8	Gen Thea Eq 6 '40	1¾	1½	1½
3	Goodr B F 6½ '47	78⅛	78	78
17	Goodyr T&R 5 '57	79¼	79	79
7	Gr Trk Ry Can 6 '36	98¾	98½	98½
16	Gr Nor Ry 7 '36 A	60	56¾	57¾
	H			
10	Hudson Coal 5 '62A	32	31	31
2	H & M rfg 5 '57 A	83	82¾	83
33	H & M adj inc 5 '57	52½	52	52
	I			
6	Ill Bell Tel 5 '56	107	107	107
31	Ill Cen 4¾ '66	34½	31½	31½
19	IC&C&L&NOrfg '63A	41½	39½	39½
52	Interb R T 7 '32	57	55½	57
402	Inter R T rfg 5 '66	46½	42¼	45
22	Int Cement 5 '48	55	53½	53½
15	Int Gt N adj 6 '52	3¼	2½	2½
12	Int Hyd El 6 '44	40	38¼	38¼
16	Int Pap 5 '47A	37	37	37½
36	Int T&T cvt 4½ '39	30¼	26	27½
41	Int T&T deb 5 '55	26½	24½	25
	K			
5	K C P&L 4½ '61	103⅜	103¼	103⅜
14	K O South rfg 5 '50	44	42½	42½
17	K C T 1st 4 '60	90	89⅝	89⅝
17	Kans G&E 4½ '80	91¾	91	91
	L			
5	Lac Gas 5½ '53	62	61½	61½
7	Lautaro Nitra 6 '54	2½	2½	2½
5	Liggett & M 5 '51	107¼	107	107
2	Loew's Inc 6 '41	81	81	81
48	Louis & N uni 4 '40	82	81¼	81¾
	M			
36	Manhat Ry 4 '90	27¾	26	27
8	McKess&Rob 5½ '50	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜
8	Midvale Stl cvt 5 '36	93½	93½	93½
5	Mil ElRy&LI 5 '61B	77½	77⅛	77⅛
2	MSP&SSM con 4 '38	36½	36½	36½
3	M-K-Tex 1st 4 '90	73	73	73
76	Mo Pac cvt 5½ '49	8½	7	7
53	Mo Pac 5 '77 F	18½	17½	18½
71	Mo Pac greg 4 '75	8½	7	7½
55	Mo Pac 1st 5 '81	19½	17½	17½
2	Mont P rfg 5 '43A	82	81	82
	N			
26	Nat Dairy 5½ '48	85	84	85
1	Natl Steel 5 '56	78	78	78
16	New Eng T&T 5 '52	109⅝	109	109
18	N O Pub S 5 '55 B	58⅜	57	58
6	N O Tex&M 5½ '54	19¾	19	19
37	NYC rf&imp 5 2013	40	35	38
65	NYC&HR deb 4 '34	66½	66¼	66½
22	NY C&StL 4½ '78C	14	12¾	13
15	NYNH&H 1 & r 4½	59	58½	59
19	NY Tel gen 4½ '39	104⅝	104¼	104¼
3	NY W & B 4½ '46	42½	40	40
9	Niag Shrs 5½ '50	59½	59	59
4	Nor Am Co 5 '61	84½	84	84¼
1	Nor Am Ed 5½ '63	81	81	81
10	Nor Am Ed 5 '69C	75	74	75
11	Nor Pac 6 2047 B	66¼	64	64
41	Nor P pr lien 4 '97	83½	82¾	82¾
16	Nor St Pow 5 '41A	102	101⅞	102
	O			
15	Ore-W RR&N 4 '61	82½	81¾	82¾
3	Otis Steel 6 '41	18⅝	18¼	18¼
	P			
4	Pac G & El 5 '42	103⅝	103½	103½
9	Para Publix 5½ '50	15	14½	14¾
3	Penn Dix 6 '41 A	46	43½	43½
32	Pen P&L 4½ '81	93¾	92½	93½
25	Pen R R 4¾ '63	79	78½	79
44	Pen R R 4½ '70 D	60½	58¾	58¾
13	Phila Co 5 '67	94½	94	94¼
14	Phil R C&I 6 '49	44	43	43
19	Phillips P 5¼ '39	71	70¾	71
17	Portl G E 4½ '80	59½	58½	59
30	Postal T&C 5 '53	20	17¾	18
4	Pub S E&G 4½ '67	104	104	104
8	Pure Oil 5½ '37	78¼	77¾	77¾
	R			
3	Read Gen 4½ '97A	83½	83½	83½
6	Rem R 5½ '47	48	47½	47½
	S			
25	SLIM&SHR&D d '33	40	38	38
37	St L S F 4½ '78	7	6	6
14	St L S F 4 '50 A	8¼	7¾	7¾
98	Seab A L con 4 '45	2¼	2	2
1	Shell Pipe L & 5½ '52	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝
10	Shell Un 5 '49 ww	83¼	83¼	83¼
28	Sinc C Oil col 7 '37	98½	98½	98¼
10	Skelly Oil 5½ '38	64	64	64
402	So Bell T&T 5 '41	106¼	106¼	106¼
7	So Pac 4½ '68	44	44	44
61	So Pac 4½ '69 ww	43¾	42	42
26	Sou Ry con 5 '94	50¼	49	50⅛
13	Sou Ry gen 4 '56	15½	15	15
5	SW Bell Tel 5 '54	106¾	106⅝	106⅝
24	St Oil N J deb 5 '46	104⅝	104⅞	104⅝
14	St Oil N Y 4½ '51	97	96½	96½
	T			
18	Ten El P rfg 6 '47 A	95½	95	95½
29	Tex Corp 5 cvt '44	90¾	89¾	90¼
17	Tob Pr NJ 6½ 2022	95	94¾	94¾
	U			
14	Un Pac 4½ '67	88⅛	87½	87½
43	Un Pac 1st 4 '47	98¾	98	98
36	Unit Drg Del 5 '53	60½	59¼	59¼
9	U S Rub 5 '47	45	44¼	45
1	Utah P & L 5 '44	67½	67½	67½
7	Util P & L 5 '59 ww	25⅛	25	25
	V			
6	Vanadium 5 '41	48¼	46	46
8	Virginia Ry 5 '62	91	91	91
	W			
12	Western El 5 '44	99½	99½	99½
2	West Md 4 '52	55	55	55
14	West Pac 1 5 '48	24¾	24	24
11	West Pen P 5 '56G	105⅞	105⅝	105⅝
2	Western Un 5 '51	56½	55½	55½
5	Western Un 5 '60	55	55	55
8	Wheel Stl 4½ '53 B	53⅛	53	53
1	Wilson & Co 1 6 '41	89¾	89¾	89¾
	Y			
9	Youngst S&T 5 '78	53	52	53

FOREIGN BONDS.

6	Abitibi P & P 5 '53	12	11½	11½
1	Argentine 6 '57 A	40½	40½	40½
40	Arg 5 sf '59 June	40¾	39½	39¾
37	Arg 6 '61 Feb	40¼	39	39¾
12	Arg 6 '61 May	40½	39½	39½
59	Australia 5 '57	74½	73	74⅛
40	Australia 4½ '56	69¾	69¼	69¾
5	Austria std 7 '43	91	91	91
26	Batavian P 4½ '42	94	93½	94
22	Belgium 7 '56	102¼	101¼	102¼
11	Belgium 5 '55	93¾	93¼	93½
18	Berlin C E 6½ '51	63½	62	62
24	Bolivia 8 '47	4	3¾	3¾
3	Bordeaux 6 '34	104¾	104¾	104¾
6	Brazil 8 '41	17½	17⅜	17⅜
8	Brazil 6½ '26-57	16	15¾	15¾
3	Brazil 6½ '27-57	15½	15½	15½
62	British 5½ '37	106¼	105⅞	106
15	Budapest 6 '27-62	23¾	23½	23⅝
23	Buenos A 6 '61	18½	17	17
2	Bulsaria 7½ '68	22½	22½	22½
24	Canada 5 '52	99½	98⅝	99
23	Canada 4 '60	85¾	83	83
16	Chile M R 6¾ '61	13	13	13
32	Chile 6 '60	5	4¾	4¾
6	Chile 6 '61	5	5	5
22	Colomb 6 '61 Oct	29½	29½	29½
1	Czecho 8 '51	93½	93½	93½
17	Denmark 5 '62	72⅝	72	72⅝
24	Duke-P P 6 '56	44¼	44¼	44¼
1	Finland 5½ '58	56	56	56
23	French 7½ '41	126¾	126⅛	126⅛
17	French 7 '49	119½	118⅝	118⅝
33	Ger C-A B 6 '38 A	61	59½	60½
36	Ger C A B 6 '60 O	52¼	51	51½
171	Ger G Intl 5½ '65	58¼	55½	55⅝
12	Ger Rep 7 '49	77½	77	77
9	Ger Con El 6 '48	45½	45	45
2	Gt C E P 7 '44	42¼	42¼	42¼
1	Hung Munic 7½ '45	12½	12½	12½
9	Iseder St 6 '48	46¾	46	46
23	Ital P Ut 7 '52	89	89	90
28	Italy 7 '51	98¼	98	98¼
39	Japan 6½ '54	61⅝	60⅜	61½
3	Marseilles 6 '34	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
9	Met Wat 5½ '50	69¾	68½	68½
18	Milan City 6½ '52	85½	84⅜	85½
5	MinasGeraes 6½ '59	9¼	9¼	9¼
34	New So Wales 5 '57	72½	72	72
2	No Ger Lloyd 6 '47	49	49	49
1	Norway 6 '44	85½	85½	85½
12	Norway 5 '63	79½	79½	79¾
2	Norweg HyEl 5½ '57	66¼	66¼	66¼
13	OrientDeLtd 5½ '58	41½	41½	41½
1	Panama 5 '63 A	45½	45½	45½
25	Peru 1st 6 '60	4	3⅞	3⅞
13	Poland 8 '50	58¾	58	58½
16	Poland 7 '47	53	52¾	52¾
14	Prussia ⊕ '52	50⅝	50	50
23	Rhine West 6 '55 ww	79½	79½	79¾
15	Rio de Jan 6½ '53	6	5½	5½
34	Rome 6½ '52	87	86⅝	86⅞
20	Royal Dutch 4 '45	87¾	87¾	87¾
10	Sao Paulo St 7 '40	53	52¾	52¾
20	Sao Paulo Wks 7 '45	61⅜	60½	61⅛
26	Sax Pub Wks 6½ '51	57⅝	55	57½
7	Serbs Cts Slov 7 '62	17¾	17½	17½
5	Siemens & H 6½ '51	74½	74¼	74¼
2	Sweden 5½ '54	96¾	96¼	96¾
4	Swiss 5½ '46	104¾	104¾	104¾
11	Sydney 5½ '55	67½	67½	67½
7	Tokyo City 5½ '61	44	44	44
46	Tokyo El Lt 6 '53	37⅝	36½	36½
32	Un Stl Wks 6½ '51A	53¼	51	53¼
1	Uruguay '60	23¼	22¾	23
15	Vienna City 6 '52	57	56¼	56¼
9	Westph U El P 6 '53	45¼	43¾	43¾
10	Yokohama 6 '61	46	45	45

Crude Oil Averages.

Oil City Pa., Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Credit balance, $1.67; runs, 31,515; average runs, 30,659; shipments, 57,976; average shipments, 59,959.

Dried Fruits Steady.

New York, Dec. 22 (A.P.).—Dried fruits steady, unchanged.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET TRANSACTIONS

Total stock sales, 170,000 shares; total stock sales yes. ago, 309,825 shares; total bond sales, $2,000; total bond sales year ago, $2,284,000.

Sales in Hundreds		High	Low	Close
	A			
1	Acme Wire vtc	4	4	4
3	Allied Mills	4	3½	3½
5	Alum Co Am	44½	43½	43½
2.50	Alum Co Am pf(3)	40¼	40	40
1	Alum Ltd pf	30	30	30
.90	Alum Ltd D war	4½	3½	3½
1	Am Beverage	3¼	3½	3½
2	Am Brit & Cont	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Am Cop A	1½	1½	1½
6	Am Cit P&L B	4¼	4	4¼
4.45	Am Corp	1	1	1
9	Am Cyan B	3½	3¼	3½
1	Am Equities	2½	2½	2½
13	Am&For P war	4½	4¼	4¼
3	Am Founders	⅛	⅛	⅛
31	Am Gas & El (1a)	29¾	28¼	28¼
4	Am Invest	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1	Laun Mch(1.20)	9	9	9
5	Am Lt & T (2½)	17½	16½	16½
3	Am Maracaibo	⅜	3/16	⅜
1	Am Salam	5	5	5
36	Am Sup Power	4¾	4¼	4¼
6	Am Sup P 1 pr (6)	63	62¼	62¾
6	Am Thread pf (¼)	2½	2½	2½
1	Am Ut Secs pf	1	1	1
6	Anglo-Chi Nit	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	Arctur Rad Tube	⅞	⅞	⅞
13	Ark Nat Gas A	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
8	As El Ind (1.00)	2¾	2¾	2¾
6	As G & El A	1½	1½	1½
1	As G & E	1½	1½	1½
1	As Tel Ut	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
17	Atlas Corp	7¾	7¾	7¾
1	Atlas Corp pf A(3)	34½	34¼	34½
2	Atlas Corp war	2½	2½	2½
1	Autom Vot Mach	2½	2½	2½
1	Axton Fish A (3.20)	60	60	60
	B			
1.40	Bell Tel Can (7) xD	79½	79½	79½
6	Bellanca Aire vtc	⅞	¾	¾
2	Ben Ind Loan (1½)	12½	12	12½
10	Blue Ridge	2⅛	2	2
2	Blue Rid cv pf(3h)	28⅝	27½	27⅝
2	Blumenthal (S)	2	2	2
21	Braz T & L	8⅜	8⅛	8⅛
1	BrAmTb reg (.67e)	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
5	Br Col Pow A (2)	14¾	14¾	14¾
1	Buckeye P L (3)	24	24	24
2	Buf N&E P pf(1.60)	20⅞	20½	20⅞
.50	Bunk Hill & S	16½	16½	16½
.50	Bunk Hill&S vtc	16	16	16
	C			
2	Cab & W pf (.62g)	2½	2½	2½
1	Cam Co vtc	⅞	⅞	⅞
13	Can Marc Wireless	⅞	⅞	⅞
16	Carib Syn	¾	¾	¾
1	Carnation	8	8	8
1	Carrier Corp	4	4	4
1.50	Celanese pf (7)	60¾	60¾	60¾
2	Cen Pub S A	⅛	⅛	⅛
.40	Cen & S W Ut pf	11	11	11
.30	Cen & S W Ut pr	16	16	16
1	Cen St El	2¼	2	2
79	Cities Service	2⅝	2⅜	2½
9	Clt Serv pf	17	15⅝	16½
2	Claude Neon Lts	⅝	⅝	⅝
17	Clinchfd Coal (.25)	¾	¾	¾
37	Colon Oil	¼	¼	¼
.25	Col G&E ev pf (5)	85	85	85
1	Col Oil & G vtc	⅞	⅞	⅞
1	Comw Edis (5)	74½	74½	74½
28	Comw & So war	⅛	⅛	⅛
4	Cons Cop Min	⅛	⅛	⅛
6	C G&E Balt (

MARYLAND U. BEATEN BY BADGERS

Old Liners Lose by 22-13 in Opener Before 3,000 Crowd.

Continued From Page 11.

up Smith's shot for two more points and Miller sank one from afar to boost the score to 12-0. Snyder then confounded everybody by dribbling down the side of the court to score Maryland's first goal, which was equalized by Wickman's shot from under the basket that brought the half to an end.

Maryland came out for the second half seemingly inspired. Vincent and Yowell tossed field goals in rapid succession and Buscher made good on the first foul of the game. Buscher scored twice from the field between goals by Hamman and Miller, but at 18-13 the Old Liners' attack reached its peak, subsiding beneath the effects of a pot shot by Miller and two fouls by Smith.

Wisconsin.	G	FG	F	Maryland.	G	FG	F
McDonald,f.	2	0	4	Yowell,f.	1	0	2
Rewey,f.	0	0	0	Walker,f.	0	0	0
Smith,f.	1	2	4	Chase,f.	0	0	0
Rychman,f.	0	0	0	Stiesher,f.	0	0	0
Hamman,c.	1	0	2	Vincent,c.	1	1	3
Miller,g.	3	0	0	Snyder,g.	1	0	2
Wickman,g.	3	0	0	Buscher,g.	2	2	2
Totals	10	2	2	Totals	5	3	13

Referee—Menton (Baltimore). Umpire—Schmidt (Baltimore).

Columbus U. Builds Five of Ex-High Stars

A collection of former high school basket ball players here will make up the Columbus University outfit this season, which is now being rounded in shape by Coach Tubba Farrell, former captain of basket ball at Holy Cross.

Columbus' season starts a week from tonight, against Gallaudet.

Downey Rice, regular center on the Central High team of two years ago; Bill Payne, former perennial Western High athlete; Bob Smith, formerly with St. John's; Bill Dougherty; Freidenberg, Jewish Community Center player; Ed Dolan, former St. John's performer; Johnny Smith and Bill Morris are candidates for the team.

Farrell to Help Drill Charity Game Eleven

James J. (Tubba) Farrell, former Holy Cross star, and Dick Turner, coach of the Devitt Prep eleven, will aid Orrell Mitchell, Gonzaga mentor, in drilling the all-high football team which will represent this city in a game with an all-high team of Baltimore, it was announced yesterday. The teams will play in Baltimore New Year's Day for charity. The three will meet today to plan for the game.

Colored Court League Lists Opener on Jan. 7

A tentative schedule for the first series of the Colored Departmental Basket Ball League, comprising nine games, has been arranged. The opening date will be January 7, with all games to be played at the Twelfth Street Y. M. C. A. The team managers will meet with the executive committee at the "Y" Tuesday to make final preparations for the opening.

The schedule is as follows: January 7, Treasury vs. State; 10, Commerce vs. Liberty Loan; 14, G. P. O. vs. Bureau of Engraving; 17, Treasury vs. Commerce; 21, State vs. Bureau of Engraving; 24, Liberty Loan vs. G. P. O.; 28, Treasury vs. Bureau of Engraving; 31, Commerce vs. G. P. O.; February 4, Liberty Loan vs. State.

St. John's Five Easy For Roosevelt, 35-22

Forging ahead to a comfortable lead in the first half, Roosevelt coasted into an easy 35-22 victory over St. John's yesterday on the Bear's court.

Roosevelt.	G	FG	F	St. John's.	G	FG	F
Hayman,lf.	2	0	4	Skelly,lf.	0	0	0
Black,rf.	3	0	0	Smith,rf.	2	2	6
Scher,rf.	4	2	10	Barrett,rf.	1	0	2
Grimm,c.	0	1	1	McCarthy,c.	3	6	12
Risley,c.	1	0	2	Simone,lg.	0	0	0
Stanley,lg.	0	0	1	Stanley,lg.	0	1	2
Sherman,rg.	5	1	11	Parkhill,rg.	0	2	2
Curtin,rg.	0	2	2				
Totals	14	7	35	Totals	5	12	22

Referee—Taylor.

GOVERNMENT LEAGUE.

I. C. C.	G	FG	P	Patent Office.	G	FG	P
Tate,f.	1	0	2	Rosenbaum,f.	1	1	3
Sperling,orn,f.	2	0	4	Harmon,f.	1	0	2
Davis,c.	2	0	4	Wilson,c.	1	1	3
McCormick,c.	3	3	9	Baldwin,lf.	1	1	3
Hood,g.	0	0	0	Rabbitt,c.	3	3	9
Thomas,g.	3	2	8	Brown,c.	0	0	0
Boggs,g.	1	0	2	Johnson,rg.	0	1	1
				Petit,lg.	1	0	2
				Drawbaugh,lg.	0	0	0
				Showalter,lg.	0	0	0
Totals	12	5	29	Totals	10	8	28

R. F. C.	G	FG	P	War Dept.	G	FG	P
Smith,rf.	7	0	14	Brien,lf.	5	1	11
Snow,lf.	0	0	0	Dunn,lf.	1	0	2
Maxwell,lf.	0	0	0	Bugge,c.	4	1	9
Coombs,c.	0	0	0	Bilontiere,g.	0	1	1
Stuart,c.	0	0	0	Whitbeck,lg.	3	0	6
Estes,c.	0	0	0				
Ford,rg.	0	0	0	Totals	13	3	29
Lomax,rg.	1	1	3				
Lybbert,lg.	0	0	0				
Totals	13	1	27				

Labor.	G	FG	P	Weather Bur.	G	FG	P
Mossburg,rf.	4	1	9	Wilson,rf.	2	0	4
Derringer,lf.	2	0	4	Kessler,rf.	0	0	0
Mowells,lf.	1	0	2	Baldwin,lf.	1	0	2
Newton,c.	2	0	4	Rabbitt,c.	1	1	3
Douglas,rg.	4	0	8	Brown,c.	0	0	0
Hayden,lg.	2	0	4	Johnson,rg.	0	1	1
				Petit,lg.	1	0	2
				Drawbaugh,lg.	0	0	0
				Showalter,lg.	0	0	0
Totals	17	0	38	Totals	4	2	10

Referee—Hengstler.

SIMPSON TOSSERS WIN.

Simpson.	G	FG	P	Ans. Eagles.	G	FG	P
J.Liggett,lf.	1	2	4	Jones,lf.	0	0	0
Rawlings,lf.	0	0	0	Loughran,lf.	0	0	0
S.Liggett,rf.	1	0	2	Kempler,rf.	0	0	0
Wagner,c.	1	0	2	Brannon,rf.	1	0	2
Walton,lg.	0	0	0	Severn,c.	1	0	2
Fritz,lg.	0	0	0	Adloff,lg.	0	0	0
Sullivan,rg.	1	1	3	Plumb,rg.	2	0	4
Bailey,rg.	0	0	0				
Totals	5	3	13	Totals	5	1	11

BROOKS FIVE WINS.

Brooks.	G	FG	P	Swann.	G	FG	P
Colbert,lf.	1	0	2	Jarvis,lf.	0	0	0
Raedy,lf.	0	0	0	Mitchell,rf.	2	0	4
McLaughry,c.	2	0	4	Medlar,rf.	0	0	0
McAlwee,rf.	1	0	2	Smyrnas,lf.	2	1	5
Gleason,c.	2	1	5	Hodgson,rg.	0	0	0
Tortorello,lg.	1	0	2	Neri,rg.	0	0	0
Drew,lg.	1	0	2				
Foley,rg.	3	3	9				
Khuen,rg.	0	0	0				
Totals	11	6	28	Totals	9	3	21

Referee—Whaley.

COLONIALS BOW TO SHOLLS.

Sholl's.	G	FG	P	Colonials.	G	FG	P
Robert,lf.	3	0	6	Cogar,lf.	1	0	2
Sherman,rf.	5	0	10	Wortworth,rf.	2	0	4
Genovese,rf.	0	0	0	Troy,c.	0	0	0
Keisel,c.	6	1	13	Williams,lg.	3	0	6
Jones,lg.	2	2	6	Bowers,lg.	0	0	0
Hook,rg.	4	0	8	Kidwell,rg.	1	1	3
Totals	18	3	39	Totals	9	1	19

Referee—Harris.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of William H. Crawford, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 2772. To the creditors of William H. Crawford, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia: Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1932, the said William Crawford was duly adjudicated the bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the Investment Building, Fifteenth and K streets northwest, Washington, D. C., on the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1932, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims (claims shall not be proved until the bankrupt estate subsequent to six months after the adjudication as stated above), appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 23

AUCTION SALES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933—
THOMAS J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH, WITH GARAGE, KNOWN AS 2002 M STREET NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain Deed of Trust recorded in Liber No. 5833 at folio 407, of the Land Records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction, in front of the premises on TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933, AT THREE O'CLOCK, P. M., the following described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia, and being Lot numbered ten (10) in Square numbered forty-five hundred forty-five (4445) in Henry H. Gilfrey, Trustee's subdivision of "City View Heights," as per plat recorded in the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber County 24 at folio 1, upon the following terms:

TERMS OF SALE—Said property is subject to a Deed of Trust securing an indebtedness of $4,500.00, and said property will be sold subject to said Deed of Trust indebtedness, all cash over and above said Deed of Trust. Interest and taxes to be paid or adjusted to date of sale. A deposit of $250.00 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, &c., at the cost of purchaser. Good title or no sale. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty (30) days from day of sale, otherwise deposit will be forfeited and property resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five (5) days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

DAVID A. BAER,
GEORGE A. WILSON,
Trustees.

d&adsex8&hol-da21.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1933—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE GASOLINE STATION, SITUATE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF BENNING ROAD AND AVENUE FOR TWENTY-FIFTH STREET NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 5815, folio 201 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1932, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., the following-described land and premises, situate in the County of Washington, District of Columbia, and designated as and being lots 84 and 85 in square 5138 in the subdivision made by the Real Estate Mortgage Company, Inc., of part of the tract of land called "Fortune enlarged" and now known as "Roland Park," as per plat recorded in Liber 40, folio 17, of the records of the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia; subject to the building restriction lines shown on said plat.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase-money to be paid in cash, balance in three years with interest at 6 per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, from day of sale, secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of $500.00 will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, &c., at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

FRANCIS G. ADDISON, JR.,
ARTHUR O. BISHOP,
Trustees.

P—6.8.10.12.14.16.19.

The above sale is postponed until WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1933, SAME HOUR AND PLACE.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

P—d6.23.29.31.ja3.4.

PUBLIC NOTICES

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF the District of Columbia, December 14, 1932. Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the act of Congress approved March 3, 1927, there has been printed in the regular issues of the Washington Times and the Washington Herald on December 7 and December 14, 1932, a delinquent tax list containing a list of taxes in arrears on real property in the District of Columbia on July 1, 1932, including special assessments overdue, and if these taxes and assessments overdue with penalties and costs are not paid prior to JANUARY 10, 1933, the date fixed for sale, the property involved will be sold at auction at the office of the Collector of Taxes, D. C., commencing January 10, 1933, and continuing each day, Sunday and legal holidays excepted, until all such delinquent property is sold. LUTHER H. REICHELDERFER, HERBERT B. CROSBY, JOHN C. GOTWALS, Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

15.16.22.23

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Mrs. M. M. O'Gorman, formerly B. F. MacCarthy, gives notice to the public that no one has authority to represent her in any capacity as agent, attorney, or otherwise. All communications should be addressed to Central P. O. Box 362, Philadelphia, Pa.

T. HOWARD DUCKETT and CHARLES C. MARBURY, Attorneys, Tower Bldg.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Prince Georges Bond & Trust Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Robert M. Fahrney, Defendant. No. 258465. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant certain moneys due and owing to the plaintiff and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is, therefore, this 7th day of December, 1932, ordered that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order to defend this suit and to show cause why said condemnation should not be had; otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default. By the Court: ROBT. E. MATTINGLY, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. 9.16.23

MILTON W. KING AND BERNARD I. NORDLINGER, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 419 Southern Building.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Randall H. Hagner & Co., Inc., a Corporation, vs. 1201 Connecticut avenue northwest, plaintiff, vs. Alfred O. Salmagzi, otherwise known as Alfred Salmagge, address unknown, defendant. No. 259034. Order of publication. The object of this suit is to recover the aggregate sum of three hundred thirty-one and 85/100 ($331.85) dollars with interest thereon from the first day of October, 1932, being rent in arrears for premises known as apartment No. 1 at 1347 Connecticut avenue northwest, in the District of Columbia, and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is therefore this 28th day of November, 1932, ordered, that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order, to defend this suit and show cause why the plaintiff should not have judgment as set forth, otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default, provided that this order be published in the Washington Law Reporter and in The Washington Post once a week for three (3) successive weeks. (Sgd.) NATHAN CAYTON, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. By W. M. NEDROW, Assistant Clerk. 9.16.23

AUCTION SALES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933—
THOMAS J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE BEING A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH, WITH GARAGE, KNOWN AS 2002 M STREET NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain Deed of Trust recorded in Liber No. 5833 at folio 407, of the Land Records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction, in front of the premises on TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933, AT THREE O'CLOCK, P. M., the following described land and premises situate in the District of Columbia, and being Lot numbered ten (10) in Square numbered forty-five hundred forty-five (4445) in Henry H. Gilfrey, Trustee's subdivision of "City View Heights," as per plat recorded in the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber County 24 at folio 1, upon the following terms:

TERMS OF SALE—Said property is subject to a Deed of Trust securing an indebtedness of $4,500.00, and said property will be sold subject to said Deed of Trust indebtedness, all cash over and above said Deed of Trust. Interest and taxes to be paid or adjusted to date of sale. A deposit of $250.00 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, &c., at the cost of purchaser. Good title or no sale. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty (30) days from day of sale, otherwise deposit will be forfeited and property resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five (5) days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

DAVID A. BAER,
GEORGE A. WILSON,
Trustees.

d&adsex8&hol-da21.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1933—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE GASOLINE STATION, SITUATE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF BENNING ROAD AND AVENUE FOR TWENTY-FIFTH STREET NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded, in Liber No. 5815, folio 201 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1932, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., the following-described land and premises, situate in the County of Washington, District of Columbia, and designated as and being lots 84 and 85 in square 5138 in the subdivision made by the Real Estate Mortgage Company, Inc., of part of the tract of land called "Fortune enlarged" and now known as "Roland Park," as per plat recorded in Liber 40, folio 17, of the records of the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia; subject to the building restriction lines shown on said plat.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase-money to be paid in cash, balance in three years with interest at 6 per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, from day of sale, secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of $500.00 will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, &c., at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

FRANCIS G. ADDISON, JR.,
ARTHUR O. BISHOP,
Trustees.

P—6.8.10.12.14.16.19.

The above sale is postponed until WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1933, SAME HOUR AND PLACE.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

P—d6.23.29.31.ja3.4.7.10.13

PROPOSALS

SEALED PROPOSALS in triplicate will be received by the Constructing Quartermaster, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., until 2 p. m., JANUARY 20, 1933, and then publicly opened, for the construction of Section G, completion of Sections A and E, addition of porch to Section B and miscellaneous work and repairs in Section F and east wing of nurses' quarters and the construction of noncommissioned officers' apartments. Information and specifications may be obtained upon application to the above office. Deposit of $100 (certified check) required for plans.

d&23.27.29.31.ja3.4.7.10.13

PUBLIC NOTICES

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF the District of Columbia, December 14, 1932. Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the act of Congress approved March 3, 1927, there has been printed in the regular issues of the Washington Times and the Washington Herald on December 7 and December 14, 1932, a delinquent tax list containing a list of taxes in arrears on real property in the District of Columbia on July 1, 1932, including special assessments overdue, and if these taxes and assessments overdue with penalties and costs are not paid prior to JANUARY 10, 1933, the date fixed for sale, the property involved will be sold at auction at the office of the Collector of Taxes, D. C., commencing January 10, 1933, and continuing each day, Sunday and legal holidays excepted, until all such delinquent property is sold. LUTHER H. REICHELDERFER, HERBERT B. CROSBY, JOHN C. GOTWALS, Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

15.16.22.23

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Mrs. M. M. O'Gorman, formerly B. F. MacCarthy, gives notice to the public that no one has authority to represent her in any capacity as agent, attorney, or otherwise. All communications should be addressed to Central P. O. Box 362, Philadelphia, Pa.

T. HOWARD DUCKETT and CHARLES C. MARBURY, Attorneys, Tower Bldg.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Prince Georges Bond & Trust Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Robert M. Fahrney, Defendant. No. 258465. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant certain moneys due and owing to the plaintiff and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is, therefore, this 7th day of December, 1932, ordered that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order to defend this suit and to show cause why said condemnation should not be had; otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default. By the Court: ROBT. E. MATTINGLY, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. 9.16.23

MILTON W. KING AND BERNARD I. NORDLINGER, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 419 Southern Building.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Randall H. Hagner & Co., Inc., a Corporation, vs. 1201 Connecticut avenue northwest, plaintiff, vs. Alfred O. Salmagzi, otherwise known as Alfred Salmagge, address unknown, defendant. No. 259034. Order of publication. The object of this suit is to recover the aggregate sum of three hundred thirty-one and 85/100 ($331.85) dollars with interest thereon from the first day of October, 1932, being rent in arrears for premises known as apartment No. 1 at 1347 Connecticut avenue northwest, in the District of Columbia, and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is therefore this 28th day of November, 1932, ordered, that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order, to defend this suit and show cause why the plaintiff should not have judgment as set forth, otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default, provided that this order be published in the Washington Law Reporter and in The Washington Post once a week for three (3) successive weeks. (Sgd.) NATHAN CAYTON, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. By W. M. NEDROW, Assistant Clerk. 9.16.23

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of William H. Crawford, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 2772. To the creditors of William H. Crawford, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia: Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1932, the said William Crawford was duly adjudicated the bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the Investment Building, Fifteenth and K streets northwest, Washington, D. C., on the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1932, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims (claims shall not be proved until the bankrupt estate subsequent to six months after the adjudication as stated above), appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 23

PROPOSALS

SEALED PROPOSALS in triplicate will be received by the Constructing Quartermaster, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., until 2 p. m., JANUARY 20, 1933, and then publicly opened, for the construction of Section G, completion of Sections A and E, addition of porch to Section B and miscellaneous work and repairs in Section F and east wing of nurses' quarters and the construction of noncommissioned officers' apartments. Information and specifications may be obtained upon application to the above office. Deposit of $100 (certified check) required for plans.

d&23.27.29.31.ja3.4.7.10.13

PUBLIC NOTICES

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF the District of Columbia, December 14, 1932. Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the act of Congress approved March 3, 1927, there has been printed in the regular issues of the Washington Times and the Washington Herald on December 7 and December 14, 1932, a delinquent tax list containing a list of taxes in arrears on real property in the District of Columbia on July 1, 1932, including special assessments overdue, and if these taxes and assessments overdue with penalties and costs are not paid prior to JANUARY 10, 1933, the date fixed for sale, the property involved will be sold at auction at the office of the Collector of Taxes, D. C., commencing January 10, 1933, and continuing each day, Sunday and legal holidays excepted, until all such delinquent property is sold. LUTHER H. REICHELDERFER, HERBERT B. CROSBY, JOHN C. GOTWALS, Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

15.16.22.23

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Mrs. M. M. O'Gorman, formerly B. F. MacCarthy, gives notice to the public that no one has authority to represent her in any capacity as agent, attorney, or otherwise. All communications should be addressed to Central P. O. Box 362, Philadelphia, Pa.

T. HOWARD DUCKETT and CHARLES C. MARBURY, Attorneys, Tower Bldg.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Prince Georges Bond & Trust Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Robert M. Fahrney, Defendant. No. 258465. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant certain moneys due and owing to the plaintiff and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is, therefore, this 7th day of December, 1932, ordered that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order to defend this suit and to show cause why said condemnation should not be had; otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default. By the Court: ROBT. E. MATTINGLY, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. 9.16.23

MILTON W. KING AND BERNARD I. NORDLINGER, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 419 Southern Building.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE District of Columbia. Randall H. Hagner & Co., Inc., a Corporation, vs. 1201 Connecticut avenue northwest, plaintiff, vs. Alfred O. Salmagzi, otherwise known as Alfred Salmagge, address unknown, defendant. No. 259034. Order of publication. The object of this suit is to recover the aggregate sum of three hundred thirty-one and 85/100 ($331.85) dollars with interest thereon from the first day of October, 1932, being rent in arrears for premises known as apartment No. 1 at 1347 Connecticut avenue northwest, in the District of Columbia, and to have judgment of condemnation of certain property of the defendant levied on under an attachment issued in this suit to satisfy the plaintiff's claim. It is therefore this 28th day of November, 1932, ordered, that the defendant appear in this court on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, after the day of the first publication of this order, to defend this suit and show cause why the plaintiff should not have judgment as set forth, otherwise the suit will be proceeded with as in case of default, provided that this order be published in the Washington Law Reporter and in The Washington Post once a week for three (3) successive weeks. (Sgd.) NATHAN CAYTON, Judge. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) BLANCHE NEFF, Clerk. By W. M. NEDROW, Assistant Clerk. 9.16.23

AUCTION SALES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1933—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF DETACHED SPANISH BUNGALOW, NO. 3705 CAMDEN STREET SOUTHEAST.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded August 28, 1931, among the land records of the District of Columbia, and at request of party secured thereby, the undersigned surviving trustee will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of premises, on TUESDAY, THE 3D DAY OF JANUARY, 1933, AT 9 O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lots 61 and 62 in Square 5284 in Mary R. Weddington's subdivision of part of a tract called "Nesneuch," as per plat recorded in Liber 72, folio 44, of the records of the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, subject to building restriction line and covenants of record.

TERMS: Property will be sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $4,700.00, at 6% due July 15, 1934; balance cash. A deposit of $300.00 required at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fee at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within 30 days from day of sale, otherwise trustee reserves the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after 5 days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

GEORGE WEDDERBURN,
Surviving Trustee.

P.—d&26.23.27.30jy3

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1932—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, LOCATED AT 423 TWENTY-THIRD PLACE NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded June 15, 1932 as instrument No. 15407, of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction within the office of Thos. J. Owen & Son, 1431 Eye street northwest, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1932, AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 5, square 4823.

TERMS: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $3,250, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300 required. Conveyancing, recording, &c., at the purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, LOCATED AT 423 TWENTY-THIRD PLACE NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded June 15, 1932 as instrument No. 15407, of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction within the office of Thos. J. Owen & Son, 1431 Eye street northwest, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1932, AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 5, square 4823.

TERMS: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $3,250, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $300 required. Conveyancing, recording, &c., at the purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1431 Eye Street Northwest.

LOST 1

BEADS—String of crystals; Tuesday; great sentimental value to owner. Reward. Georgia 0192 after 6 p. m.

CHANGE PURSE—Black; between Treasury and Young Men's Shop, at noon, Wednesday. Reward. EM. 5526.

DOG—Police puppy, Wednesday morning, near Chevy Chase Circle. Call. Clev. 1693.

DOG—ST. BERNARD, MISSING SINCE MONDAY; ORANGE BODY WITH WHITE PAWS; 9 MONTHS OLD; WEIGHS 100 POUNDS; ANSWERS TO NAME PAL. REWARD. GA. 2516.

GLASSES—Gold-rim bifocals; in gray case; bet. Union Station, 9th and K sts. ne. Reward if returned to D. L. Healy, 1012 5th st. ne.; Atl. 3781.

ON Saturday, Dec. 17, gold wrist watch; marked Wilson M. Wing. Reward. Finder please call Falls Church 422.

PUPPY—3 months old; resembles Scleyham; white with buff spots, red collar; four children anxious for his return. Wisc. 2981.

PURSE—Brown leather; containing $12.15, notebook, pen, school car tickets; in black taxi, colored driver, Tuesday. Reward. Dec. 1337.

SILVER FOX double scarf; lost on or about Monday, Dec. 12. Finder please return to Mrs. Wm. D. Thomas, Greystone, Kilmyle rd., Bl. Ck. Pk. Liberal reward. Cleve. 6230.

FOUND 2

IN DIAMOND CABS:
Green Shorthand Textbook, by Driver 802. Call Lost and Found Dept., North 2888.

DOG—Brown brindle, male; vicin. Conn. and Fla. aves.; Thursday. Phone Col. 1602.

PERSONALS 3

CHAMBERS CO.
Ambulance Service, $4.00.

BODY MASSAGE—Masseur from New York City; gentlemen only. Nat. 5058.

DEPRESSION PRICES—Reduce now; no starvation diet; no flabby skin and muscles. Get your blood stream clear. Turkish bath and massage for elimination and circulation; colonic irrigation; sun bath; infra-red for arthritis, trained nurse. Muscle-lifting facial packs, $1 with bath. Shampoo and wave, $1. Miss Josephine, formerly with Maison Gustav, now with you. 1st floor Turkish Bath, Keith-Albee Bldg., G st. entrance, elevator down. Met. 7236.

DETECTIVES—Private. CONFIDENTIAL. Offices 3d flr., Munsey Bldg. Dist. 7064.

FLOORS CLEANED and waxed; rooms, $2.50. Telephone Mr. Hall. Floors cleaned; work guaranteed. Col. 3718.

FUR JACKETS at unbelievably low charges from your old coat by Phillips of Paris. 1800 Wis. ave. Open till 8 p. m.

HEMORRHOIDS (piles) eradicated by own method; results guaranteed for life or money back; write for booklet. Dr. Sommerwerck, 1365 Columbia road.

INVIGORATING electrical sun-ray treatment for colds, rheumatism; refined only; colored nurse. North 2768.

LET DR. DELLA LEDENBECKER'S WONDERFUL HANDS RUB THOSE ACHES AND PAINS AWAY. 3025 O NW. WEST 1120.

MASSAGE baths; to invalids; scalp treatment; shampoo; ladies only; refs. Call DE. 3392.

CHAMBERS CO.
Complete Funeral as low as $65.

MONEY advanced on watches, diamonds, jewelry, antiques, gold, silver, pawn tickets. Livingston, 601 13th nw. Na. 5649.

NURSE—Hospital training; white

The Washington Post.

DECEMBER 23, 1932.

THE ONCE OVER

H. I. PHILLIPS

SEASONAL CARD SUGGESTIONS.

To President Hoover:

Cheer up, Mister President,
Soon you'll be a private gent;
Then you can go catch a trout
With no newsreel spies about.
At Palm Beach upon your backses,
Far from thoughts of debts and taxes,
You and wifey'll find enjoyment
Out of your own unemployment.
May the new year bring contentment
Where no action brings resentment;
Yank that hair shirt off; don't tear it!
Frankie wants a chance to wear it.

* * * *

For the Next President:

Twinkle, twinkle, Hyde Park star—
Our best wishes, F. D. R.!
Let no tardy mails impede them—
Golly, Franklin, you will need them!

* * * *

To Mr. Mills:

Happy New Year to you, Oggie,
Far from budget figures groggy;
If our institutions go,
You can say, "I told you so!"

* * * *

For the Happy Warrior:

Season's wishes to you, Al,
And a New Year very grand;
Since F. R. is now your pal,
May you in his Cabinet land!

* * * *

For Any Letter Carrier:

Blessings on thee, letter man,
Burdened down by card and letter—
May those back pains disappear
And your aching "dogs" get better.

* * * *

For the Mahatma:

A Merry New Year,
Mister Gandhi—
With here and there
A meal called square.

* * * *

For Any Railroad President:

We're wishing you a New Year great
With no more traces of despair;
With possibly a little freight
And now and then a passengaire.

* * * *

For Jimmy Walker:

Across the seas our greetings go—
We miss the circus and the show;
You cost us lots and left us flat—
But you were darned good fun at that!

Ad similes: As gruff as a Christmas shopper selecting a card to wish somebody Christmas good will.

(Copyright, 1932.)

The Weather

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	7:24	
Sun sets	4:50	
High tide	3:41	4:17
Low tide	10:08	11:06

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Thursday, Dec. 22—8 p. m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Partly cloudy, slightly warmer Friday, followed by rain Friday night and Saturday; moderate south winds.

For Maryland—Increasing cloudiness, slightly warmer Friday, probably followed by rain Friday night and Saturday.

For Virginia—Increasing cloudiness, slightly warmer Friday, followed by rain Friday night and Saturday and possibly in extreme southwest portion Friday afternoon.

A disturbance is central over the Rio Grande Valley, Del Rio, 29.86 inches, whence it will move northeastward. Pressure is also low from the mouth of the Hudson Strait, Resolution Island, 29.50 inches, southeastward to Newfoundland, Cape Race, 29.64 inches. Phenomenally low pressure covers southern Alaska and British Columbia, Ketchikan, 28.44 inches. A high pressure area is moving eastward over the Middle Atlantic States, Richmond, 30.62 inches—and pressure is high over the middle Rocky Mountain region and southern Plateau, Salt Lake City, 30.32 inches. Rains have occurred in the north Pacific States, Tennessee, the lower Ohio Valley, the lower Missouri and middle Mississippi Valleys and the Gulf States. Temperatures have risen in the interior of the South Atlantic States and the Canadian northwest.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 35; 2 a. m., 35; 4 a. m., 34; 6 a. m., 34; 8 a. m., 42; 10 a. m., 47; 12 noon, 50; 2 p. m., 51; 4 p. m., 51; 6 p. m., 48; 8 p. m., 41; 10 p. m., 35. Highest, 52; lowest, 33. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 71; 2 p. m., 38; 8 p. m., 63. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), trace. Hours of sunshine, 9.4. Per cent of possible sunshine, 100.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1932, 781 degrees.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1932, 1 degree.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1932, 6.03 inches.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1932, 0.57 inch.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended 8 p. m. Thursday:

	Highest	Lowest Wed. night.	Thur. 8 p.m.	Rain-fall.
Washington, D. C.	52	33	41	....
Asheville, N. C.	62	36	48	....
Atlanta, Ga.	64	38	52	....
Baltimore, Md.	52	36	44	0.02
Birmingham, Ala.	64	44	58	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	40	18	30	....
Boston, Mass.	50	40	42	....
Chicago, Ill.	42	30	34	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	42	36	40	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	38	16	28	....
Cleveland, Ohio	42	34	32	....
Denver, Colo.	42	22	38	....
Des Moines, Iowa	44	24	38	....
Detroit, Mich.	32	32	30	....
Duluth, Minn.	38	14	36	....
El Paso, Tex.	58	42	52	0.02
Galveston, Tex.	62	58	60	0.10
Helena, Mont.	26	18	24	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	72	56	64	....
Kansas City, Mo.	72	56	64	....
Little Rock, Ark.	48	40	48	0.02
Los Angeles, Calif.	64	48	58	....
Marquette, Mich.	38	22	28	....
Memphis, Tenn.	54	44	54	0.12
Miami, Fla.	76	72	74	0.11
New Orleans, La.	70	56	60	....
New York, N. Y.	52	32	48	0.04
North Platte, Nebr.	36	30	30	....
Omaha, Nebr.	44	32	40	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	68	40	66	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	42	36	38	0.06
Portland, Me.	46	36	40	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	30	10	24	....
St. Louis, Mo.	42	28	42	....
St. Paul, Minn.	42	20	40	....
San Antonio, Tex.	70	56	68	0.08
San Francisco, Calif.	52	42	52	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	40	24	38	....
Savannah, Ga.	72	46	56	....
Seattle, Wash.	46	40	44	0.01
Tampa, Fla.	80	62	72	....
Toledo, Ohio	32	32	32	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	52	54	60	0.03

River Bulletin.

Harpers Ferry, W. Va., Dec. 22.—Potomac and Shenandoah rivers clear.

LIGHTING OF TREE TOMORROW TO END PRE-YULE EVENTS

Mrs. Hoover Attends Party of Salvation Army This Afternoon.

The lighting of the National Community Christmas tree at Sherman Square tomorrow night will climax a series of beautiful and charitable pre-Christmas events.

Already bands of carolers have brought cheer of Yuletide to the aged, infirm and ill in the city's hospitals and institutions. Their activities will go on tonight and tomorrow.

The Takoma community Christmas tree was lighted last night in a ceremany which included the singing of carols by the Madrigal Singers and Girl and Boy Scouts.

Speaking at Ceremony.

The tree is in the Takoma Park Playground, at Fourth and Whittier streets. Miss Sybil Baker, supervisor of playgrounds, and James G. Yaden, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations, were among those who spoke at the ceremony.

Today's events will include the distribution of food to the needy. At one such event Mrs. Herbert Hoover will deliver the first of 500 baskets to be given by the Salvation Army.

The First Lady will be at Temple Corps, 606 E street northwest, at the Army's annual Christmas party. She will extend good wishes and give away the first basket of food. She will go there at 2:30 p. m.

400 Baskets to be Given.

A similar giving of food baskets will be held this morning by the Volunteers of America at 471 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, where 400 baskets will be distributed.

There, after the baskets have been claimed, cooks will begin preparation of the Christmas dinner which will be served Sunday to all who apply. It is expected that more than 1,500 will be guests of the Volunteers.

The Salvation Army's Christmas will include a children's party tonight. There will be a Santa Claus, toys and a Christmas tree for each child.

Party for Children.

This afternoon the welfare department of the District American Legion will have its annual Christmas party for children at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Gifts of clothing will be in greater abundance than toys because of conditions existing this year.

Needy colored children will receive gifts of toys this afternoon at the Christmas party of the Phyllis Wheatley Y. W. C. A.

The Christmas party of the Volunteers of America for children will be tonight, when Santa Claus will present toys and well-filled stockings to poor youngsters.

Vice President Curtis will turn the switch that will light the living tree at Sherman Square. He will also deliver a seasonal greeting to the Nation.

Marine Band Concert.

Included in the program at the tree, which will begin at 4:30 o'clock, will be a concert by the Marine Band, remarks by Senator Arthur Capper, and carol singing by several groups.

Several hundred singers will join in the "Christmas Gift of Carol Singing" under direction of the District of Columbia Federation of Music Clubs.

This year the carol singing on Christmas Eve will be colorful and significant of the age-old greeting of the angels, "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men" as groups of carolers, garbed in gay raiment wander around the city with song.

This year three carols will be sung at the community tree by the George Washington University Glee Club, the Girls Glee Club singing "The Bells," the Men's Glee Club singing "The Holly and the Ivy," and the united clubs singing "Silent Night, Holy Night."

City-Wide Singing.

Following the official ceremonies at the living spruce south of the Treasury Building, the city-wide carol singing will begin.

The Troubadours of George Washington University will go about the uptown and downtown sections of the city, singing first at the Shoreham Hotel, where the guests will assemble to hear them around a Christmas tree in the lobby. They will carry lighted Yule candles, as they sing, and as they go from place to place, appearing also at the Washington Hotel.

"The Concerteers" will sing carols at the Ambassador Hotel and the Hamilton Hotel at 9 p. m.

The Young People's Society of First Congregational Church, led by Paul Sedgwick, will march through downtown streets swinging lanterns and ringing bells, as they visit the Willard and Raleigh Hotels. But first, according to a time-honored custom, this group will visit the jail and Gallinger Hospital.

Tomorrow afternoon the Children's Hospital, Emergency Hospital and Travelers' Aid in the Union Station will be visited by the Elizabeth Somers Glee Club, Columbia Hospital and the U. S. Naval Hospital, by the Rho Beta Chapter of the Mu Phi Epsilon Musical Sorority; Epiphany Church Home, by the Claviarco Glee Club; Industrial Home School, by Chaminade Glee Club, and St. Elizabeths Hospital, by the Student Nurses Glee Club; Tuberculosis Hospital, by the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church Choir, and Walter Reed Hospital will be visited by three groups of carolers—Friendship House carolers, Rho Beta Chapter, Mu Phi Epsilon Sorority, and Chaminade Glee Club.

Institutions Treated.

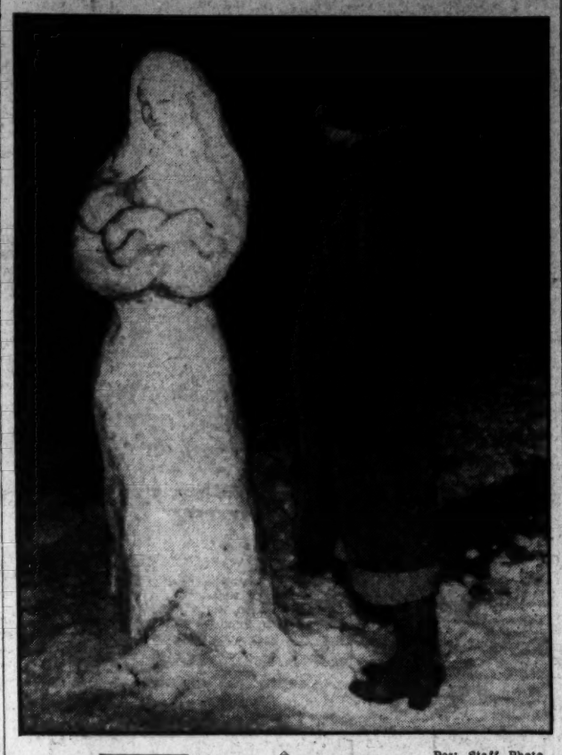
Singing groups that have taken the gift of Christmas song to many institutions during the present week include likewise the Treble Clef Club of Gordon Junior High School, Schubert Choral Club and the Madrigal Singers.

The final rehearsal of players in the Christmas drama, "The Other 'Wise Man," will be tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Luther Place Memorial Church, Fourteenth and N streets northwest, where the eighth annual presentation of the Van Dyke dream-legend will open Monday night at 8:30 o'clock.

Museum Holiday Hours.

The Smithsonian Institution and the National Museum will be open only from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. on Saturday, December 24; Monday, December 26; Saturday, December 31, and Monday, January 2. The buildings will be closed all day Sunday, December 25, and Sunday, January 1.

Blessed Virgin and Christ Modeled by Snow Sculptor



Post Staff Photo

MARY CLAUDE,

who with her father found a priest working on the Christmas snow image of the Christ child in its mother's arms standing beside her discovery.

Life Size Replica Carved in Rock Creek Park Draws Eyes of Passersby.

An unsung sculptor yesterday created from the untouched snow of a far corner of Rock Creek Park a life-size replica of the Blessed Virgin with the infant Christ at her breast.

The work of the mysterious artist was noted by Herbert Claude, of 15 Newlands street, Chevy Chase, Md., as he and his daughter, Mary Claude, drove through the park, observing the beauties wrought by the snow.

Startled at the perfection of the snow sculptor's conception of the Holy Mother and Son, Mr. Claude and his daughter turned their machine about and sought the creator.

As they approached, a tall figure garbed in the apparent winter street clothes of a Catholic priest turned and greeted them. He told them he was "Father Pierce" of Bellevue Hospital, New York. That was all that was learned of the man.

The figure, which, barring an unprecedented warm spell, will stand intact on the birthday of Christ Sunday, is pedestaled on a tiny plain at Beech drive and Sherrill drive in the northeast edge of the park. Its workmanship borders on perfection. The placid features of the Madonna are reproduced with the facility of a master and the tiny Son of God nestles against the snowy breast of its immaculate mother with the same placidity delineated in the creations of a Michaelangelo.

WOODYARD REPORTS 66,142 WORK HOURS

Committee on Employment Indorses D. C. Request for $1,250,000.

The District Committee on Employment yesterday afternoon indorsed the request of the District Commissioners for $1,250,000 of Congress for unemployment relief during 1933 and "the principle" of the alley clearance and housing corporation projects now being drafted into a bill.

Reports were made of the committee's expenditures during the greater part of the last year and of employment at the municipal woodyard by Maj. D. J. Donovan, chairman of the finance and woodyard committees.

The latter report showed that 29,069 men have been employed at the woodyard at various times from December 1, 1931, to December 15, 1932. Of these, 22,631 were transients and 6,438 were Washington residents. They performed 66,142 hours of work.

William C. Cleary, chief clerk of the committee, announced that the woodyard has plenty of wood available for sale now and will deliver it anywhere in the city for $12 a cord.

Leifur Magnusson, president of the Monday Evening Club, made a plea for indorsement of the unemployment relief appropriation, a policy of unemployment reserve, and the alley-closing movement. Subsequent motions covered the first and last proposals, but omitted the unemployment reserve.

Other reports were made by Mrs. F. H. Brooke, chairman of the garden committee, and Col. E. Goring Bliss, of the clothes conservation committee. E. H. Daniel, chairman of the employment committee, presided.

ARTS BODY MAY ASK IMPROVEMENT DELAY

Beautification of Monument Grounds Held Hinged on Stronger Foundation.

A request that no recommendations for improvement of the area adjacent to the Washington Monument be made to Congress until the foundation of the famous memorial has been strengthened will probably be made of Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant 3d, director of public buildings and public parks and vice chairman of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, by the Fine Arts Commission in the near future.

The Fine Arts Commission, it was learned, is of the opinion that the foundation of the monument should be carried down 60 feet to bedrock. This would insure the permanent stability of the structure, it is believed, and then any sunken gardens desired could be developed around the base of the shaft.

The view of the arts commission was made known after a study of objections raised to carrying out the program for the plan of 1901. The arts commission has not yet been able to secure the full details of the report compiled by a special advisory committee, made up of famous engineers and architects, for Col. Grant.

At a cost of nearly $30,000 authorized by legislation, drilling operations, supervised by Col. Grant, revealed that the monument does not rest on solid rock—contrary to popular belief—and that its bed is composed of gravel, sand and blue clay.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Robert L. and Bernice Fridell, boy.
Earle G. and Lynne Breeding, boy.
J. William and Mary Roberts, boy.
Hills and Fay E. Kosnow, boy.
Samuel E. and Mary L. Upperman, girl.
William R. and Jane A. Miller, girl.
Walter S. and Emily Trivett, girl.
Arthur L. and Frances Richardson, girl.
Cecil B. and Lena Hamilton, girl.
William H. and Margaret V. Keefer, girl.
Robert and Gertrude Irwin, boy.
Henry and Agnes Feyner, boy.
James R. and Lillian Johnson, boy.
Joseph and Lorraine Bader, boy.
Wenzel and Theresa Nikl, girl.
Elder B. and Mary E. Holohan, girl.
Charles N. and Mary I. Hanson, girl.
Charles W. and Mary E. Knox, girl.
Torsten and Sylvia Linde, girl.
Norman D. and Evelyn Lugenbeel, girl.
Selby and Daisy Topacott, boy.
Ernest and Ruby Dishman, boy.
Dewey and Sussie Wood, girl.
Joseph C. and Mary E. Canten, girl.
Robert and Gertrude Blay, boy.
Leon and Pearl Mitchell, boy.
David and Lela Franks, girl.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Frances D. Reynolds, 75 years, Garfield Hospl.
Katherine P. Bretow, 71 yrs., 1442 Harvard st. nw.
George L. Beard, 61 yrs., 949 Longfellow st. nw.
Sarah E. McElroy, 60 yrs., 920 M st. nw.
Paul R. Nelson, 56 yrs., Walter Reed Gen. Hospl.
Ernest Van Horn, 57 yrs., Gallinger Hospl.
James L. Menefee, 24 yrs., 3530 18th ne.
Mary H. Reed, 50 yrs., 3714 Warren nw.
Elmer Ealley, 14 days, en route Emergency Hospl.
Julia Curtis, 77 yrs., Et. Eliz. Hospl.
Infant of Wilbur and Grace Wright, 6 hours, Georgetown Hospl.
George Conway, 67 yrs., 7 Rock Creek Ch. Rd.
William F. Ferguson, 68 yrs., en route Emergency Hospl.
Cora L. Ward, 57 yrs., 221 O st. nw.
Pocahontas Doctor, 48 yrs., 4306 Sheriff rd. ne.
Susie Cook, 48 yrs., 748 Hobart st. nw.
William H. Bowling, 45 yrs., en route Sibley Hospl.
Laura Perrin, 40 yrs., Freedmen's Hospl.
Bessie Green, 39 yrs., Gallinger Hospl.
Alex Hendrix, 38 yrs., Walter Reed Gen. Hospl.
Minnie Stephens, 37 yrs., Georgetown Hospl.
Estelle Bolling, 34 yrs., Casualty Hospl.
Blanche C. Johnson, 26 yrs., 1230 8th st. nw.
William H. Armstrong, 23 yrs., Tuberculosis Hospl.
Irene Washington, 18 yrs., 119 You nw.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Clergue C. Schilling, 30, Lee House, and Lucille Waters, 29, 1808 Connecticut avenue northwest. The Rev. P. J. Hurney.
Raymond Krebill, 22, 925 Massachusetts avenue northwest, and Gladys M. Harper, 23, 1437 Rhode Island avenue northwest. The Rev. J. H. Miers.
Amile J. Gateau, 21, 1525 Good Hope road southeast, and Marian E. Higgs, 19, 903 Fifteenth street southeast. The Rev. P. L. Norris.
Charles M. Cecil, jr., 21, 641 I street southwest, and Lera Mae Woodruff, 19, 421 New Jersey avenue northwest. The Rev. J. E. Briggs.
Joseph W. Dean, 21, 1002 N street northwest, and Grace E. Faircloth, 20, 1630 P street northwest. The Rev. T. E. Boorde.
Ernest J. Nalley, 27, Berwyn, Md., and Cora W. Edrington, 31, 1248 D street northeast. The Rev. J. C. Copenhaver.
Luther Grimman, 40, and Galene E. Bullock, 25, both of Falmouth, Va. The Rev. J. E. Briggs.
Erwin Horowitz, 21, and Reba Forman, 23, both of Baltimore, Md. Rabbi J. T. Loeb.
John T. Tracy, jr., 28, and Irene Thamert, 20, both of Baltimore, Md. The Rev. H. M. Hamlin.
Irvin W. Phillips, 23, Mount Airy, Md., and Pearl Luhn, 21, Monrovia, Md. The Rev. A. P. Poore.
Clarence D. Crump, 29, and Annie Williams, 43, Richmond, Va. The Rev. L. J. McDougle.
Mitchell Contee, 21, 37 Florida avenue northwest, and Eleanora Turner, 19, 1625 Fourteenth street northwest. The Rev. Grant Contee.
Benjamin D. Berry, 34, 1216 Fairmont street northwest, and Otis K. Holley, 27, New York City. The Rev. H. W. Brooks.
Wilbur T. Given, 23, 414 Fourth street southeast, and Fannie R. Sykes, 23, 313 T street southeast. The Rev. W. A. English.
Edward S. Winston, 21, 2242 Twelfth place northwest, and Marie E. Turner, 18, 2244 Twelfth place northwest. The Rev. A. Lewis.
Thomas Butler, 26, and Evelyn Thomas, 18, both of Forrestville, Md. The Rev. K. W. Roy.
Robert Dunmore, 30, 462½ Virginia avenue southwest, and Mary C. Rigney, 44, 466 G place northwest. The Rev. A. Chichester.
Clifton J. Gomes, 40, 1807 Second street northwest, and Eva D. Jones, 34, Howard University. The Rev. T. J. Brown.
Phillip McCoy, 29, 324 L street southwest, and Lucille Johnson, 23, 27 O street southwest. The Rev. E. Williams.
John McKenney, 34, 1327 G street northwest, and Nancy A. Ransom, 34, 1101 O street northwest. The Rev. C. H. Johnson.
Eppie Johnson, 28, 914 Liberty street northwest, and Beatrice Bailey, 20, same address. Judge R. E. Mattingly.

SHIFTING OF FUNDS BY BUREAU HEADS IS ATTACKED IN HOUSE

Byrns Charges Transfers to Save Workers' Jobs in Units Lacking Cash.

Alleged abuse by bureau heads of the 12 per cent interchangeable appropriation provision, incorporated in all the current supply bills, was charged on the floor of the House yesterday by Appropriations Chairman Joseph W. Byrns.

Representative Byrns declared department executives are using the funds transfer provision to save the jobs of Government workers by transferring money for salaries from bureaus with ample funds to those that have little.

He said this never was intended by Congress. Representative Will R. Wood (Republican), Indiana, supported his objections and said a special rule ought to be adopted by the House to stop this practice.

Defended by French.

Both Byrns and Wood contended the 12 per cent interchangeable appropriations item was designed rather to promote efficiency and to effect savings.

Representative Burton L. French (Republican), Idaho, retorted that he thought the practice was altogether legitimate in the Interior Department, which suffered a 10 per cent cut in appropriations last session.

He said funds in many Interior Department bureaus are for personnel only, holding it was perfectly proper for money to be shifted within such agencies to prevent discharges. Later he expressed the belief that Congress actually intended the money to be used for this purpose in all departments.

Inquiry Is Urged.

Representative Byrns said he thought the Senate economy committee should look into the matter to see if there are abuses.

Meanwhile, Chairman Hiram Bingham of the Senate economy committee, following a session of the body yesterday, announced that members will continue their conferences throughout the Christmas recess. The committee has a secrecy understanding, and to date has held its decisions on Government employes' pay, strictly in confidence.

Taxicab Firm Is Sued By Couple in Mishap

Hyman Shapiro, the Bell Cab Co., and Emrette Overstreet, a cab driver, were named defendants in two damage suits filed in the District Supreme Court yesterday by Henry Adams and his wife, Cora Adams, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Through Attorney H. M. Marcus, the Adams charge they were seriously hurt last May when a cab in which they were riding struck a parked car at Twenty-fifth street and Massachusetts avenue northwest. The husband asked for $20,000 and his wife seeks $10,000.

Trimmings Are Stolen From Christmas Tree

Ordrey Peterson, manager of a filling station at Sixteenth and Taylor streets northwest, is wondering about the good will and those other things attributed to and symbolized by Christmas.

To advance the Christmas spirit, he erected a Christmas tree at his station and dressed it with $7 worth of decorations. Yesterday morning he found his Christmas tree denuded of its trimmings.

Boy Is Killed in Street As Brother Is Taken Ill

Believed to have been struck by a hit-and-run truck driver, Howard Walker, 8, colored, of 944 Twenty-seventh street, was killed yesterday afternoon at Twenty-fifth street and New Hampshire avenue northwest.

When his family was notified of the accident, they had just called the Emergency Hospital ambulance for a son, James, 10, who was stricken suddenly.

Woman Hurt in Crash; Walter Reed Employe

Miss Lusetta Keynon, 26, a physiotherapathy technician at Walter Reed Hospital, was slightly injured in a head-on automobile collision near Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday, according to an Associated Press dispatch.

Persons at the hospital said that Miss Keynon was on leave for the Christmas holidays. They had not heard of the accident.

Gold Hit

Depression Is Blamed for Slump in Demand for Christmas Coins.

A decline this year in the request for gold coins as Christmas gifts is another of the many things for which the depression is blamed. Although some local banks report a heavy demand for gold pieces of the smaller denominations for this purpose, others announce applications for Christmas gold as 25 per cent under those a year ago.

One institution which distributed from $20,000 to $25,000 for this purpose several years ago, reports withdrawals of but $15,000 last year and issuance of barely $500 of a $2,000 allotment this season. One banker, recalling three requests for Christmas gold from the Treasury last year, said thus far this year, but a third of the 1931 amount had been required.

In spite of the falling off, many bankers agree, a curious phenomenon will be repeated this year. This is the return of gold to banks after the holidays in even greater amounts than its Christmas outflow.

Some bankers explain this by saying that persons saving gold coins during the year as pocket pieces add these to gold gift coins received at Christmas and deposit the whole during January. Whatever the reason, bank officials believe generally that this one of three original Christmas gifts usually comes back to them, some times with interest.

TAKOMA PARK TREE LIGHTED

Post Staff Photo.

The beautiful Takoma Park Community Christmas tree lighted last night at the Takoma Park Playgrounds by Miss Sybil Baker, supervisor of the District of Columbia Playgrounds. In center, left to right, George E. Sullivan, W. C. Magathan, president of the Takoma Park Citizens Association; Miss Baker and James G. Yaden, president, Federation of Citizens Associations.

DE PRIEST BLOCKS INTERIOR BILL VOTE

He Makes Unsuccessful Try to Authorize Heating Plant at Howard.

(Associated Press.)

The passage of the $43,192,904 Interior Department supply bill was blocked in the House yesterday by its only Negro member—Representative De Priest, of Illinois—in a parliamentary move that showed less than half the membership was present.

Unable to do business for lack of a quorum, the House was forced to adjourn without acting on the bill. It will meet again today, but because so many representatives already have left for the Christmas holidays action on the Interior bill probably will be delayed until Tuesday.

Meanwhile the House received from its appropriations committee the supply bill for the Agriculture Department for the coming fiscal year, amounting to $110,981,000, and providing but $35,000,000 for Federal highway aid.

Demands Roll Call.

With but a few members on the House floor during consideration of the Interior Department bill, De Priest unsuccessfully sought to have an item of $460,000 added to it through an amendment, for a heating plant at Howard University, a Federally-supported Negro institution located here.

After the measure was ready for passage, De Priest, a Republican, moved to have the bill sent back to the appropriations committee, with instructions to insert the item, which was opposed by Chairman Byrns on the ground that it had not been recommended by the budget.

De Priest asked for a count of those present.

Speaker Garner ordered a roll call, which showed but 205, or ten less than a majority of the present House of 429. There are six vacancies. The call also showed that 110, mostly Republicans, favored De Priest's motion, and 95, largely Democrats, opposed it.

Representative Rainey, of Illinois, the Democratic leader, tried to adjourn the House without further action. Representative Mouser (Republican), Ohio, sought to restrain the move, but Mr. Garner declared adjournment after a superficial count in its favor.

Indians Get $18,938,454.

Before this development, however, the House approved individual sections of the Interior bill, including $8,000,000 for construction work on the Hoover Dam, and $18,938,454 for the Bureau of Indian Affairs. It approved an amendment by Representative Goss (Republican), Connecticut, prohibiting Reclamation Bureau funds from being used for surveying or inspecting new or proposed reclamation projects, and another by Representative Arentz (Republican), Nevada, to allow part of an $18,000 fund for school facilities at Boulder Canyon to be used for supplies for children of workers on the Hoover Dam.

The appropriation's committee carried out President Hoover's suggestion to reduce the usual Federal highway aid allotment of $100,000,000 annually by $65,000,000 in the Agriculture Department bill.

This measure, the third of the nine big annual supply bills, is $206,902,000 less than appropriations for the current year, which totalled $317,883,000, of which $194,763,000 was allotted to highway construction to relieve unemployment.

2 Hold Up Oil Station Manager and Get $50

Joe Pasternak, 24, 2346 Wisconsin avenue northwest, suffered bruises and at Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, was robbed of $50 late last night.

After rifling the cash register the men locked Reeves in the wash room. He escaped through a window.

Pedestrian Is Injured By Hit-and-Run Driver

Joe Pasternak, 24, 2346 Wisconsin avenue northwest, suffered bruises and possibly internal injuries yesterday afternoon when struck by a hit-and-run driver while walking at New York avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets northwest.

He was treated at Providence Hospital.

SUSPECTS ARRESTED IN CAPITAL ROBBERY

Trio Held at Malone, N. Y., to Be Quizzed About Dec. 10 Holdup.

Suspected of having held up a service station at 3100 Rhode Island avenue northeast, on December 10, three Baltimore men arrested last night in Malone, N. Y., will be brought here to be confronted by victims of the holdup.

Those under arrest are: Lucien and John M. Rene and Robert Garrett. They were arrested when the automobile in which they were riding became involved in a minor accident, near Adams, N. Y. State troopers learned the car had been reported missing.

Detective Sergts. James Tolson and A. M. Lewis, left here last night to return the suspects.

Fruitful Theft Assures Fruit for Christmas

Somebody is going to have strawberries for Christmas—also tangerines and apples. That is, unless and if——

Six crates of strawberries, two crates of tangerines and a box of apples were taken from the sidewalk in front of the A. & P. Grocery Store, 1209 Thirteenth street northwest, yesterday morning. Three men are said to have calmly put the fruit in their car without ado or permission.

CHANUKKAH FEAST STARTING TONIGHT DATES TO 165 B. C.

Celebration in Memory of Victory Over Syrians Lasts Eight Days.

Observance of the Feast of Chanukkah, eight-day Jewish festival, will begin tonight in synagogues throughout the city. Elaborate programs have been arranged for celebration of one of the most interesting holidays in the Jewish calendar.

Chanukkah is a celebration of joy and gladness, equal to the observance of Christmas, and is held in anticipation by Jews, young and old, as a time to rejoice and spread cheerful tidings. The festival also is known as the Feast of Lights or Feast of Dedication.

Origin of the holiday dates back to the year 165 B. C., when the Syrian king, Antiochus IV, decided to unify all provinces and peoples of his kingdom. He believed that this could be accomplished only by compelling all his subjects to adopt a common religion, that of the Greeks.

Jews Resist Order.

But the polytheism of the Greeks did not appeal to the Jews. They successfully resisted armies which the Syrians sent against them and finally marched triumphantly into Jerusalem. There they rededicated their temple on the twenty-fifth day of the Jewish month of Kisley. The Feast of Chanukkah is in commemoration of this event.

The festival lasts eight days in accordance with an old legend, which states that a single cruse of undefiled oil found in the temple burned for eight days through the miraculous intervention of God. Thus, the kindling of lights in the home and synagogue is a distinguishing feature of the celebration.

Special prayers and scriptural readings are included in programs to be held in the city-wide observance.

No Special Programs.

The Adas Israel Congregation will lead observance of the celebration, with services tonight in their auditorium, Sixth and I streets northwest. Rabbi Solomon Metz will speak on "When Greek Met Jew."

Following religious services, Joseph A. Wilner, president of the congregation, will hold an open forum discussion in the vestry rooms of the synagogue.

A special Chanukkah celebration for children of the religious school will be held Sunday afternoon.

Although the festival will be observed in synagogues throughout the city, no special programs have been announced.

Disappears

Mother, Ill, Worried as Daughter, 35, Leaves Mysteriously.

Explaining her mother, with whom she lived, was in ill health and worrying over her disappearance, members of the family last night asked police to institute a search for Mrs. Gladys Bates, 35, 475 H street northwest.

The woman has been missing since 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon when she laid aside her apron, put on her coat and hat and left.

The family said she had been dependent, but could offer no reason for her disappearance. She was described as being of medium height and slender, weighing 128 pounds, having brown hair and blue eyes. She was wearing a black coat and hat, with brown shoes.

An inexpensive, yet satisfying Christmas present!

Zipper Carry-All Utility Bag

$1.95

If you are in doubt give a Gift Certificate (Sold at Main Floor Information Desk

It looks like an expensive piece of luggage. Made of Swavel, a stout suede-like cloth, with a zipper fastener. Makes a grand week-end bag. Rubberized lining. Brown or tan. 18 and 20-inch sizes.

Second Floor—The Hecht Co.

THE HECHT CO.
The Store of Practical Gifts